

AN HISTORICAL SKETCH OF THE COUNTY OF YORK,

Including Lists of the County and Town Officers, a Description of some of the Principal Towns and Villages of the County,
and some notice of its Population, Agricultural Productions, Educational Statistics, &c.

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In presenting an historical sketch of the County of York, we have to give an account of the most important of all the Counties of the Province of Ontario. The presence of Toronto, the capital of the Province, gives to the County a dignity which cannot be claimed by any other. Although Ottawa, the Capital of the Dominion, is also situated within the boundaries of Ontario, and is possessed of importance of its own, it can never take precedence as a capital in matters specially pertaining to the Province itself. When it is remembered that Ontario is the Premier Province of the Dominion in size, population, wealth, education, and general advancement, the relative position of Toronto and the County of York will at once be recognized.

The section of country comprising the County of York, is not without interest from an historical point of view. It comes into notice in the earliest records of the first French adventurers who penetrated to the interior of Western Canada. It is now 263 years since Champlain, the first European to do so, visited Upper Canada. Accompanied by Indians, and one or more Recollet missionaries, he ascended the Ottawa, crossed to the Georgian Bay by way of Lake Nipissing and French River, then by the Severn River, he passed into Lakes Couchiching and Simcoe. From these he ascended the Talbot River, and by a chain of small lakes and streams reached the head waters of the River Trent. Passing over the waters of the Bay of Quinte, he finally reached Lake Ontario, and was the first European to discover this body of water. It was by this round-about way that Lakes Huron, Simcoe, and Ontario were first brought under the eye of the white man. The navigator made this journey in July, and great must have been his delight at the magnificent and ever-changing scenery. The following winter was passed by him among the Indians along the north shore of Lake Ontario. The region around Lake Simcoe at this period was thickly inhabited by Indians of various tribes; and a part of the season was spent by Champlain in their midst. The Recollets with him, were engaged in the work of teaching Christianity to the natives, and began to plant the mission which subsequently flourished at the confines of the Georgian Bay, a relic of which we yet have in the "Christian" island. Consequently we have here between Lake Ontario and the Lakes Simcoe and Huron, the ground where the first European explorer tarried and lived, and where one of the first, if not the first, Christian Missions was founded in Upper Canada. From the existing records of those intrepid explorers and self-denying missionaries we learn not only of their dangers and escapes; but through their intercourse with the aborigines, we catch clear and distinct glimpses of the aborigines themselves who dwelt hereabouts, and at the mouth of the Humber and the Don. And it is curious to notice that this section of Ontario came to be known as the *Toronto Region*, long before Canada was conquered by the English. The territory lying between Lakes Huron, Simcoe, and Ontario was a place of rendezvous for many tribes who roamed the wilderness, east, north and west, and south to Lake Erie. When the Europeans essayed to obtain a name of this place from the natives, the replies given with the Indian pronunciation, were difficult to commit to French orthography; and consequently we find the name given spelled in several different ways, as recorded upon the ancient maps sketched by the early explorers of the country. The most common are Tormasonto, Toronton, Taranton, Torintog, Tarento, Toronto, Taronthe, Alouronton, Otoronto. But the most frequent of these appellations was Toronto. As the expeditions from the St. Lawrence to the Upper Lakes became more and more frequent, and the mention of this region more common, we find that Toronto

became the usual word by which the place was designated. Not only the land bounded by the lakes, but the lakes and rivers were designated in the same way. Thus Lake Simcoe and Georgian Bay are sometimes marked Lake Toronto, and the rivers leading to and from Lake Simcoe are marked Toronto River. According to the best opinion we have upon the question, the name however spelled, originally signified "the place of meeting."

There were different routes by which the Indians and first navigators penetrated from the St. Lawrence and Lake Ontario to the Upper Lakes, Huron and Superior. One was by the Ottawa River, the route followed by Champlain; another by the Bay of Quinte and River Trent, as also passed by Champlain. There were several ways from Lake Ontario: One by the Stream which flows into the lake at Port Hope, another near Whitby, the River Rouge, the Don and the Humber. Of those from Lake Ontario, the one from Port Hope and the Humber were the most commonly used. All of them were now and then designated *Toronto Rivers*, and frequently, Indian villages at the rivers mouth were likewise so called. The exigencies of the fur trade, and the contest between the French, who had established a fort at Niagara, and the English from New York, who had a fort at Oswego, for the supremacy in the trade, toward the middle of the 18th century, brought the Humber Route into prominent notice, and the French with the view of warding off the English who had been known to cross the lake to the Humber, erected a stockade trading post near the mouth of the Humber—so as to control the traffic derived from the Indians from the distant Michilimacinae—to defend "the Pass at Toronto." Consequently M. de la Gallissoniere, in 1749, then administrator in Canada, gave orders to have a fort constructed. The name given to this fort was Rouille, after the French colonial minister of that day. The fort was placed east of the Humber on the most southern point of the shore between the mouth of the Humber and the entrance of the Toronto Bay. At that time the curve of the shore here was greater than at the present day, the waters of the lake having since washed away much of the more southern portion. This position enabled the watchman on duty to observe not only the mouth of the Humber, but the bay and the entrance to the River Don. Although the fort received the name of Rouille, it was more commonly called the Toronto Fort, on account of its situation, and from commanding the entrance of the route to the Toronto Region—the great place of meeting.

After the conquest of Canada, the fort, never very large or substantial, fell into ruins, so that when the place was first visited by Governor Simcoe in 1793, little but the foundation remained. Except the clearing of some 300 acres around the fort, and two families of Mississauga Indians, the land where now dwell teeming millions presented a wilderness scene. The curious may yet trace portions of the foundations of the old Toronto fort on the brow of the hill by the lake shore. The land is embraced within the exhibition grounds, now in course of preparation for the Provincial Fair. And it is a satisfaction to know that a suitable monument with a tablet is to mark the place and commemorate the starting point of the great City of Toronto, the Queen City of the West. Should Lord Dufferin, our highly popular Governor-General be present to inaugurate the exhibition, perhaps he will lend his eloquent tones to fitly characterise the marvellous change which eighty-five years of Canadian energy has achieved, and indicate what shall be the future development of Toronto and the Province at large in the same length of time.

After the conquest of Canada, the first exploration of Fort Toronto and its surroundings, was made by Deputy Surveyor John Collins in 1788.

He had been instructed by Lord Dorchester, to make a survey of all the waters of the Upper Lakes and the several forts. Toronto Bay consequently was examined by him, and we have a report stating the appearance and capabilities of the harbor at that period. He says, "as a military post I do not see any very striking features to recommend it."

A more careful and accurate survey of the harbour was made in 1793, by Joseph Bouchette, the son of Commodore Bouchette, who had command of the Naval force on Lake Ontario at the time. It would appear that he commenced operations in the month of May. He probably had engaged in the work the *Caldwell* and *Buffalo*, two of His Majesty's vessels, which sailed from Newark, (Niagara) on the 3rd of May for Toronto, according to the *Gazette*, and Bouchette doubtless was on one. The same day, Simcoe, with "several military gentlemen, set out in boats for Toronto, round the head of Lake Ontario, by Burlington Bay." Simcoe returned to Newark on the 13th of May, by the same route. This was Simcoe's first visit to Toronto. Writing on the 31st of May to Gen. Clark, for the time being Lieut.-Governor of Lower Canada, Simcoe says: "It is with great pleasure that I now offer to you some observations upon the military strength and naval convenience of Toronto (now York) which I propose immediately to occupy. I lately examined the harbours, accompanied by such officers, Naval and Military, as I thought most competent to give me assistance therein, and upon minute investigation I found it to be, without comparison, the most proper situation for an arsenal in every extent of that word, that can be met with in this Province." It is interesting to notice the change of name from Toronto to York. This had no doubt been decided upon during the week he stayed at the place making explorations. The name seems to have been given in honor of His Royal Highness the Duke of York, the King's son, then engaged in Flanders with the French. On the 27th of August following, a royal salute was fired from the garrison and vessels in the Harbour to celebrate the victory the Duke of York had achieved in Flanders; and the naming of York Harbour. No doubt the change of name was intended to gratify the feelings of the U. E. Loyalists who wished to have a newer York than the New York which had been lost on the Atlantic by the American Independence.

Bouchette records the circumstance of the survey in a volume he published in 1831. He says, "It fell to my lot to make the first survey of York Harbour in 1793, Lieut.-Governor, the late Gen. Simcoe having formed extensive plans for the improvement of the colony, had resolved upon laying the foundations of a provincial capital, I was at that period in the naval service of the Lakes, and the survey of Toronto (York) Harbour was entrusted by his Excellency to my performance. I still distinctly recollect the untamed aspect which the country exhibited when I first entered the beautiful basin. Dense and trackless forests lined the margin of the Lake, and reflected their inverted images in its glossy surface. The wandering savage had constructed his ephemeral habitation beneath their luxuriant foliage—the group then consisting of two families of Mississagas—and the bay and neighbouring marshes were the hitherto uninvaded haunts of immense coveys of wild fowl. Indeed they were so abundant as in some measure to annoy us during the night."

Prorogation of the second session of provincial Parliament, at Newark, took place on the 9th of July 1793; and immediately after preparations began to remove the capital. On the — of August, "the first division of his Majesty's corps of Queen's Rangers left Queenston for Toronto—now York, and proceeded in batteaux round the head of Lake Ontario, and shortly afterwards another division of the same regiment sailed in the King's vessels, the *Ononadago* and *Caldwell*, for the same place." On

Monday evening (29th July) his Excellency left Navy Hall and embarked on board His Majesty's schooner the *Mississagas*, which sailed immediately with a favorable gale for York with the remainder of the Queen's Rangers.

The Rangers pitched their tents on the clear ground by the old fort. Simcoe himself also set up his canvas house hard by. This famous tent requires some notice. Says Dr. Scadding Page 515, "We have it in Bouchett's *British North America* a reference to his famous canvas house." "In the Spring (i. e. of 1793) that work says, 'the Lieut. Governor moved to the site of the new Capital (York), attended by the regiment of the Queen's Rangers, and commenced at once the realization of his favorite project. His Excellency inhabited, during the summer, and through the winter, a canvas-house, which he imported expressly for the occasion, but frail as was its substance, it was rendered exceedingly comfortable, and soon became as distinguished for the social and urbane hospitality of its venerable and gracious host, as for the peculiarity of its structure. This canvas house had been used by Capt Cook in his voyage round the world, and Simcoe purchased it when offered for sale in London. Of Governor Simcoe it may here be stated that according to Duke de Liancourt who visited him the year previous at Newark, 'in his private life Gov. Simcoe is simple plain and obliging, he lives in a noble and hospitable manner, without pride; his mind is enlightened, his character mild and obliging; he discourses with much good-sense on all subjects, but his favorite topics are his projects, and war, which seem to be the objects of his ruling passions. He is acquainted with the military history of all countries. No lock catches his eye without exciting in his mind the idea of a fort which might be constructed on the spot, and with the construction of this fort he associates the plan of operations for a campaign, especially of that which is to lead him to Philadelphia.'" While the Parliament Buildings were in course of erection Gov. Simcoe was providing for himself a local habitation. The place selected for this was upon the summit of a pointed hill overlooking the valley of the Don and a little stream called Castle-Frank Brook, a delightfully romantic spot, just north of where is now St. James Cemetery. Here he had constructed a commodious summer room or chateau, which he named Castle Frank after his son. All the way from the site of the town of York to the front of this building, a narrow carriage road and convenient bridle paths were cut by the soldiers, and carefully graded. Remains of this ancient engineering achievement are still to be traced along the base of the hill below the Necropolis and elsewhere. The Southern termination was at the Parliament House, this was the origin of Parliament Street.

Castle Frank itself was an edifice of considerable dimensions, of an oblong shape; its walls were composed of a number of rather small carefully hewn logs of short lengths. The whole was the hue which unpainted timber exposed to the weather, speedily assumes. At the gable end, in the direction of the roadway from the nascent capital, was the principal entrance, over which a rather imposing portico was formed by the projection of the whole roof, supported by four upright columns, reaching the whole height of the building, and consisting of the stems of four good-sized, well-matched pines, with their deeply-chapped, corrugated bark unremoved. The doors and shutters to the windows were all double thickness, made of short plank, running up and down on one side, and crosswise on the other, and thickly studded over with the heads of stout nails. From the middle of the building rose a solitary, massive chimney stack.

We can picture to ourselves the cavalcade that was, from time to time, to be seen in the summers and autumns of 1794-5-6, wending its way leisurely to the romantically situated chateau of Castle Frank, along the reaches and windings, the descents and ascents, of the forest road, expressly cut out through the primitive woods as a means of access to it. Col. John Clark of Port Dalhousie visited Castle Frank in 1824, and says, in his memoirs that he passed "through a delightful road and that it was in a most desirable spot for the humming musquito." It was the desire of Lord Dorchester, the Governor-General to have Kingston made the Capital of Upper Canada. But Gov. Simcoe was of the opinion that it was too close to the United States territory. For the same reason he resolved to remove from Newark when he became aware that the Niagara fort was to be relinquished to the States, which took place in 1796. Simcoe cast about at once to find a suitable spot where on to erect his capital. He travelled over the peninsula to Detroit, and traversed the wilderness around the head of Lake Ontario searching for, the most eligible place. He at first decided to fix the capital on the river La Trench, (Thames) the present site of London, and he at the same time located and named Chatham for the naval station.

"The first Council held at the Garrison, York, late Toronto, at which Lieutenant-Governor Simcoe was present, was on Saturday, 31st August, 1793." Simcoe remained at York until the 5th of September, when the Government returned to Navy Hall but the following winter was passed by Simcoe in his canvas-house at York. "In the ensuing spring the ground for the future metropolis of Upper Canada was fixed upon, and the buildings commenced under the immediate superintendence of Simcoe." The *Gazette* of July 10, 1794, contains an advertisement for "Carpenters for the Public Buildings to be erected at York. Application to be made to John McGills Esq., at York, or Mr. Allan Macnab, at Navy Hall."

Settlement at York did not proceed rapidly, for in June 1795 there "have been no more than 12 houses hitherto built at York." The inhabitants no doubt consisted, besides the Rangers, of those engaged in erecting the buildings. Gov. Simcoe was ordered to the West Indies in 1796, having prorogued Parliament on the 3rd of June. The five sessions constituting the First Parliament of Upper Canada were all held at Newark. The first session of the Second Parliament met at York, the buildings being in a condition to receive the Assembly; so Simcoe did not have the privilege of meeting Parliament in the Capital he had created. After Simcoe's re-call the inhabitants of Newark hoped the Capital might be retained there but the next session of Parliament dispelled all hopes of that.

During the interval between Simcoe's departure and the arrival of his successor Mr. Peter Hunter, in August 1799, the Hon. Peter Russell, the senior member of the Executive Council filled the office of Administrator under the title of President. In November 1796 says the *Gazette* his Honor the President of the Province and family sailed in the *Mohawk* for York. The following year, the 1st of June the first meeting of the Legislative Assembly met at York, and was prorogued on the 3rd of July. Henceforth York was to remain the Capital until the Union of Upper and Lower Canada.

We will now return to the time at which York was first surveyed. Having followed the steps by which York became the Capital of the Province, it is necessary to return to the Original Survey of this part of Upper Canada. We have from the original field notes of Mr. Augustus Jones D.P.S. that the surveyors first visited the Toronto Region in 1791.

A row of townships fronting on Lake Ontario, from the River Trent and the head of the Bay Quintee was marked out, being divided into eleven townships. It would appear that only the front and the dividing lines were at first marked. The three westernmost of these townships, namely Pickering, Scarborough and York were at first respectively named Edinburgh, Glasgow and Dublin. And we find it stated by Mr. Jones that he concluded surveying Dublin 15th Sept. Mr. Jones was therefore engaged in surveying in Upper Canada before Governor Simcoe assumed his office. He seems to have been highly esteemed by Collins the Deputy Surveyor General of Canada, and we find him writing to Mr. Jones from Quebec 23rd Jan. 1792, that "Colonel Simcoe, the Governor of your Province is now with us. I have taken the liberty to commend you to him in the manner I think you merit, and I cannot doubt you will be continued in your salary." Such proved to be the case, and we consequently find Mr. Jones taking the leading part in carrying out the surveys under the immediate direction of Simcoe while he remained in the Province. The first reference to the survey of York is found in the following, "Surveyor General's Office, Province of Upper Canada, 26th January 1793. Description of the Township of York (formerly Toronto) to be surveyed by Messrs. Aitken and Jones. The front line of the front concession commences adjoining the township of Scarborough (on No. 10) at a point known and marked by Mr. Jones running S. 71° W. from said front and one chain, for a road; these five lots of twenty chains each, and one chain for a road; and so on till the said line strikes the River Toronto (Humber) whereon St. John is settled. The concessions are one hundred chains deep, and one chain between each concession to the extent of twelve miles." Having been thus conspicuously connected with the original surveys of townships, and of Dundas and Yonge and other streets it will be appropriate to give a brief statement of Mr. Augustus Jones personal history. This is derived from the Rev. Peter Jones' autobiography, who was his son and born at Burlington Bay in 1802. Mr. A. Jones was of Welsh descent, his grand-father emigrated to America, and settled on the Hudson prior to the American rebellion. Mr. A. Jones studied for the profession of Land Surveyor in the city of New York. His occupation in Canada brought him into contact with the various Indian tribes for whom he entertained a high regard. He learned their language and ultimately formed a matrimonial connection with the Mississauga tribe, by marrying the Chief's daughter. This took place at the Grand River, in the spring of 1793. The issue of this union was five sons and five daughters, the Rev. Peter Jones was the second son, who says "My father being fully engaged in his work, my elder brother and myself were left entirely to the care and management of our mother who preferred the customs and habits of her nation, and for more than fourteen years lived and wandered about with the Indians in the woods."

Not unlikely Mr. Jones accompanied Simcoe on his first visit to York. From his field notes we learn that on 27th June 1793 at 12 o'clock that he Mr. Jones, then at Newark set out for Toronto and went to the 12 mile pond along the south shore of Lake Ontario. He coasted along around the head of the Lake and was detained a few days at Burlington "waiting for hands from the Grand River." On the 1st of July he "came from the Credit to Toronto Lay, arriving at 3 o'clock." It will be observed that the term Toronto is applied to the place, not York. The following day he was "busy making a house to store provisions in. The 3rd was a rainy day. The 4th of July he "went down to the line between York and Scarborough." By this we learn that Simcoe had already begun to give names to places and that the names, Dublin and Glasgow, had been superseded by Scarborough and York. Mr. Jones was engaged in surveying the townships east of Toronto until the 28th August when he "came down to York Lay, 29th went out to the town of York, 30th waited on His Excellency, ordered to come next day, 31st, to meet His Excellency in council, went with them to look at the situation of the Town of York. (The name is now changed). Sunday first of September went to Camp—attended prayers, 2nd Sept. presented some plans of a late survey of York to His Excellency in Council. On the 4th ordered by His Excellency to make ready to go with Capt. Smith (of the Rangers) and party (soldiers) the next day to the head of Burlington Bay and proceed at once to open the Road to the River Thames" (this was to be Dundas St.) This river is subsequently designated La Trenché the French name; but this is the first time the term Thames is employed and doubtless it had just been given by the Governor. Mr. Jones' field notes proceed to say—5th rainy, 6th, at 8 o'clock set out from camp at York; stopped at Mr. St. John's on the Humber to take in provisions and went to the River Credit. 7th to Mr. Baisley at the head of Burlington Bay where there were a party of Rangers left to bring forward stores. Monday 9th went with party of Rangers to the boundary at Mrs. Mordaunts where Capt. Smith and Rangers were encamped. 10th the men baked their bread and ground their axes—made a beginning at opening the Road. 11th busy with the Rangers, 12th as before, went about 2 miles. On the 20th Sept. returned to Long Beach on our way to York. 21st to St. John's 22nd, got to York and waited on Governor. 23rd employed in protracting (p.an) the La Trench Road 29th, went with the Governor &c., up to his farm near Coons (Castle Frank). Wednesday Nov. 6th waited on His Excellency the Governor and obtained leave to return home to Niagara, and ordered to return to York in January next to open a road from thence to the water communication on Lake Huron. The men have been employed at opening a road from hence to Toronto Fort from Oct. 23rd to the present time." This doubtless means from the Government Reserve near the mouth of the Don to the old fort where the Rangers were encamped. Gov. Simcoe was at Newark on the 14th Dec. following, and ordered Mr. Jones to show him plans of settlements that he might name the townships not yet named.

Mr. Jones "returned to York 22nd Feb. '94. 23rd went to camp and waited on His Excellency." That is he went from the settlement which had no doubt then begun on the site of York village, to the fort where the Governor was encamped near the Rangers. The "camp" was the canvas house occupied by the Governor. On the same day, 23rd Feb. the "men made a camp below the Rangers about ½ mile." "24th, making ready to set out to survey toward Lake Simcoe." By which it appears that Simcoe had given that lake a name. It was in memory of his father. At this time Mr. Jones received a sketch from His Excellency taken by Messrs. Pilkinton and Aitkens, by which the course for the proposed road (Yonge Street) is N. N. W. 32 miles." We thus learn that the original line preliminary to laying out the road was drawn by Pilkinton & Aitkins, who probably had accompanied Simcoe himself. On the 26th, Mr. Jones began his survey from a post at the bank between 20 and 21 in front at 33 to 40 chs. 1st Con." This fixes the spot of the commencement of Yonge Street.

On the 8th March he "went to Mr. John Culverson's on Lake Simcoe about 10 or 12 miles," preparing "a plan from the Lanling" (Holland Land, ng.) In the earlier part of this year Gov. Simcoe had passed over he ground between York and Lake Simcoe probably accompanied by a

surveyor, Pilkinton or Aitkins to ascertain the feasibility of opening a straight road. Mr. Pilkinton was an officer of the corps of Engineers and an intimate friend of Simcoe's. The original map has red dotted lines marking the course taken at this time, and shows Lieut. Gov. Simcoe's route on foot and in canoes to explore a way which might afford communication for the fur-traders to the Great Portage, without passing Detroit in case that place were given to the United States. The march was attended with some difficulties, but was quite satisfactory; they found an excellent harbour at Penetanguishene and returned to York. The same map also indicates other explorations by Simcoe with the view of opening up the wilderness by cutting out main roads. One was from Niagara to Detroit, from which he returned on the 8th March 1793, having been on the way five weeks. In March 1794, Simcoe left York for the Thames and went down that river to Detroit. He returned by Lake Erie and Niagara to York on May 5th, and the following November he passed from York to Kingston in a small boat. In Sept., 1795, Simcoe was again exploring; this time along Lake Erie as far as Long Point.

In the year 1788, Western Canada forming a part of the Province of Quebec, was divided into four Districts, namely: Lunenburg, Mecklenburg, Nassau and Hesse. The District of Nassau embraced all the Territory north of Lake Ontario from the river Trent at the head of the Bay of Quinte, to "a line north and south intersecting the extreme projection of Long Point into the Lake Erie." Although the Canadian French, and the U. E. Loyalists had been united in contending for the integrity of the British Empire; yet when the two races found themselves side by side on Canadian soil, a union in sentiment and feeling was found to be impossible. The difference between the religion, language and laws of the French, and what the English were accustomed to, was so great that although efforts were earnestly made to unite them, the divergence of views rather increased than abated. The U. E. Loyalists sought from the Imperial Government a distinct autonomy with British laws and customs. Accordingly, on Friday, 4th March, 1791, it was moved by Chancellor Pitt "that His Majesty's message concerning the new constitution for Quebec might be read. It was read accordingly."

"George R.—His Majesty thinks it proper to acquaint the Commons, that it appears to His Majesty, that it would be for the benefit of His Majesty's subjects in the Province of Quebec, that the same should be divided into separate Provinces, to be called the Province of Upper Canada and the Province of Lower Canada; and that it is accordingly His Majesty's intention so to divide the same whenever His Majesty shall be enabled by Act of Parliament to establish the necessary regulations for the Government of the said Provinces, &c." The discussion which arose in connection with the passage of this Bill was of unusual interest, and produced the historic scene between Burke and Fox, during which "tear trickled down the cheeks of the latter as he strove in vain to give utterance to feelings that dignified and exalted his nature." The Bill passed its third reading on the 18th May.

Lord Dorchester was the first Governor of Canada, after the erection of Upper Canada, and Col. John Groves Simcoe was appointed Lieut.-Governor of Upper Canada. He assumed office July 8, 1792. Lieut.-Governor Simcoe lost no time in organizing his Government, and on the 16th July he issued from the temporary Government House at Kingston a proclamation dividing Upper Canada into nineteen Counties. The fourteenth of these counties received the name of York. This was before the capital of York had been thought of. The county of York consisted of two Ridings, east and west, and was bounded on the east by the county of Durham, and extended "west to the river La Trenché, to be called Thames, on the south bounded by Lake Geneva, to be called Burlington Bay, and a carrying-place leading through the Mohawk village to where it intersects the river La Trenché or Thames." The limits of the counties were determined by the number of settlers, not by the extent of territory, attention being given to prospective settlements. We thus obtain a knowledge of the paucity of inhabitants then occupying this extensive region. The proclamation ordered that the counties of York and Durham and one Riding of Lincoln should elect one person to represent them in the Provincial Parliament.

Governor Simcoe had for members of his council, who aided him in organization, and in the matters pertaining to the settlement of York, the following:—Chief Justice Osgood; Attorney General John White, who came out from England specially in 1792; Peter Russell, Receiver General; D. W. Smith, Surveyor General; Wm. Jarvis, Provincial Secretary; John Small, Clerk of the Council. His Private Secretary was Thomas Talbot, Major Littlehale's A. D. C.; Mr. Gray, Solicitor General; Thos. Ridout and Wm. Chewitt became Ass't. Surveyors General. Peter Clark was appointed Clerk of the Leg. Council; John G. Law, Usher of the Black Rod; Col. John Butler, Superintendent of the Indian Department. Most of these took part in laying the foundation of York, as the Capital of Upper Canada. The Council Chamber at Newark was in Navy Hall.

The first Session of the first Parliament of Upper Canada met at Niagara, on the 17th of Sept. the same year, and was prorogued on the 15th of October following. The meeting took place in tents, probably the canvas house. Among the eight acts passed was one changing the name of the Districts, which provided that the District of Nassau should be called the Home District. The next Session of Parliament in 1793 enacted, "that the Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the Home District shall commence and be held in the town of Newark, in July, October, January and April," and it appears that they continued to be held at Newark until 1801. But the time had arrived when York was to become the seat of legislation.

On the front of the Reserve somewhere near the spot where the old jail now stands, a clearing was made for the erection of the first Parliament Buildings. They were necessarily of wood and appear to have been well adapted for the purpose intended. They were commodious, if not grand and lofty. The Building was ready for the reception of the Legislature when it met on the 1st of June, 1797, under the Presidency of the Hon. Peter Russell, who was remotely connected with the House of Russell in England. The same ceremonies that have attended the opening of Parliament in England and her colonies were from the first duly observed. His Honour was conducted to the House by a proper guard amid the usual salutes of cannon, and entered the Council Chambers in solemn state, to declare his wishes to the representatives of the people. Imagination might take wing and recall as far as might be the scene attending this first assembling of Parliament in York. A rough wooden structure, looking out upon the placid bay, and closely surrounded by the lofty forest trees of pine and oak, with open spots here and there with humble buildings; while the cleared ground was yet encumbered with the stumps of the fallen trees, formed a striking setting for the pomp and circumstance belonging to such occasions. The first Parliament Buildings continued to be the scene of these annual gatherings for sixteen years; and here in turn came in

such vice-regal splendour as the circumstances could command, President Russell, Lieut.-Governor Hunter, Lieut.-Gov. Gore, General Brock and General Sheaffe, to open and dismiss the Legislature. The end of the first Parliament Buildings was due to the cowardly hand of the enemy, who burned them in 1813. The Houses were described as consisting "of two elegant halls with convenient offices, for the accommodation of the Legislature and the Courts of Justice." The same writer observes "the library, and all the papers and records belonging to these institutions were consumed, and, at the same time, the Church was robbed, and the town library was totally pillaged." It was to requite this outrage on civilized warfare that a few months later the Public Buildings at Washington were destroyed by a British force. The official residence of the Governor in 1813 was near by the magazine which exploded when the Americans attacked the place, and was destroyed. The residence and square where is now the Government House was then purchased from Chief Justice Elmsley, and became the permanent place of abode of the Governor. It was for a time known as the Elmsley House. After the destruction of the buildings, Parliament had to make such shifts as were possible, until their re-erection which was commenced in 1818 on the same site. In 1819 an Act was passed granting £157 10s. 0d. "to defray the expenses of procuring certain plans and elevations for public buildings," and "£554 11s. 1d. sterling, to defray the expenses of procuring copies of the Journals of the Legislative Council and Assembly, which were burned by the enemy." One Session at least was held in the ball room of Jordan's York hotel, on King street, near Prince's street. The new Parliament Buildings were more capacious than their predecessor, and formed "a brick cubical block." This structure was accidentally burned in 1824, at a loss of "two thousand pounds." After this Parliament met in the old Hospital buildings on King street west of John street. An Act was passed in 1826 authorizing the raising of debentures for a sum not exceeding £7,000 to be applied in erecting buildings for the use of the Legislature—Com. missioners, Hon. Wm. Allan, Wm. Thompson, Grant Powell. New Parliament Buildings were commenced in 1825—not on the old site, but on Simcoe Place where they are at the present time. The building was occupied first in 1830; but not finished entirely until 1833.

Among the Acts passed in 1798, was one "for the better division of the Province." According to this act, "the Townships of Whitby, Pickering, Scarborough, York (including its peninsula,) Etobicoke, Markham, Vaughan, King, Whitechurch, Uxbridge, and Gwillimbury and the tract of land hereafter to be laid out into Townships, lying between the Counties of Durham and the Lake Simcoe, shall constitute and form the East Riding of York." And that "the Townships of Beverly and Flamborough, East and West, so much of the tract of land upon the Grand River in the occupation of the Six Nation Indians as lies to the northward of Dundas street, and all the land between the said tract and the East Riding of the County of York, with the reserved lands in the rear of the Townships of Blenheim and Blanford, shall constitute and form the West Riding of the County of York." "The Counties of Northumberland and Durham, York, and Simcoe were to form the Home District." In 1801 it was enacted that the Courts of Quarter Sessions for the Home District should be held at York. In 1803 Governor Hunter issued a proclamation which ordered that "a public open Market" should be held on every Saturday at York "to promote the interest, and advantage, and accommodation of the Town and Township of York." The first market was held on the 5th November on the Market Square which then extended along the south of King St. to Church St. In the year 1814 a Provincial Act was passed to establish and regulate a Market in and for the Town of York. The orders, rules and regulations were to be published by affixing a copy of them in the most public place in every township and at the doors of the Church and Court House in York. In 1816 an act was passed to authorize and provide for the building of a Jail and Court House in the Town of York. The same year, by Act of Parliament the new District of Gore was established out of certain parts of the Home and Niagara Districts. By this Act, the Home District lost much of its western territory. The Act provided that the Township of Toronto should be attached to and form a part of the East Riding of the County of York, the residue of the West Riding to continue to be the West Riding of York. In 1821 a new division of counties and townships was made by which the townships Reach, Brock, Scott and Georgina were attached to the east riding of York, and Chinguacousy, Caledon, Albion, and the Gore of Toronto were added to the west riding. At the same time the County of Simcoe was formed out of some of the old townships of York and new ones recently opened. In 1825, an act was passed to provide for the erection of a jail and court house upon the jail reserve in the Town of York; and the *Gazette* says, "from the present state of the building used as a jail it is highly expedient to build without delay." £4000 was to be raised by loan on the credit of the district. But the foundation of the jail had been laid the previous year by the governor, in the presence of his staff and members of the Executive Council, judges, gentlemen of the bar, magistrates, &c. In 1826, an act was passed constituting the "York General or Strangers Burying Ground;" six acres of land were obtained at Yorkville for the purpose. This was the well-known "Potter's Field." So much in the way of legislation for the interests of the Town of York and the County.

Let us now return again to the infant York with the view of briefly tracing the growth and development of the place. It must be borne in mind that the settlement by permanent inhabitants arose primarily out of the preparations necessary to meet the requirements of the seat of Government and for the meetings of the Legislative Assembly. Subsequently the settlement of the surrounding country led to further growth, and we find the place no longer spoken of as a village with ten odd dwellings. The surveyor, in laying out the village, commenced by placing the Reserve for the Government Buildings; this was the first and principal consideration. For this purpose a portion of land was selected west of the Don, one mile square, fronting on the bay, and extending northward to the 2nd concession line. Judging from the old plans preserved in the Crown Lands Department, the front half of the square was intended for the Government Buildings and offices and Courts of Law. The other portion was designed for the official residence of the governor, with ornamental grounds, and probably the official residences of the members of Government. In continuing the survey, lots were laid out along the front, westward from the Reserve, and numbered accordingly. Lots were also laid out eastward to the line marking the western boundary of Scarborough. These were numbered from west to east, making five lots. As we have seen, the object in choosing this site for the Government Buildings was to attain the greatest security against a foreign foe. The eastern boundary of the Reserve was as near the top of the bay as the marshy nature of the land around the mouth of the Don would permit. Another central spot was the garrison reserve, east of the old French fort. It was hoped that with the existence of a fort here and another on the point of the

peninsula, which was named Gibraltar Point, both at the entrance of the harbour, that no enemy's vessel could enter. Yet the enemy did find his way to the Government Buildings, and effected their destruction in 1813. The limits of the first town plot of York extended westward to George Street, and northward to Duchess Street, which is now an insignificant portion of Toronto. The names of some of the streets have been changed. The present Front Street was originally called King Street, afterwards it received the name of Palace Street, probably from the palatial residences it was expected would here be erected in contiguity to the House of Parliament. For many years now the street has been known as Front Street. The next street parallel to Front was at first named Duke Street. This is now King Street. The next street north was Duchess, now Duke; the next street, now Duchess, was at first nameless. The origin of these names, and those of the other streets running north and south in primitive York may be found in Dr. Scadding's "Toronto of Old." The progress of the village along these surveyed streets was at first very slow. Government officials, merchants, tradesmen, mechanics and so forth, erected buildings to suit their means. Inns, stores, blacksmith's shops, waggon maker's shops, and various offices came into existence, one by one. Places of worship and for school in turn followed.

Any one passing down George Street, south of Queen Street, will observe that the streets at right angles from east to west do not correspond. We have here the starting point for a second survey of lots for the town. A plan of the "Town of York," 13th June, 1817, and a second plan of the date of November 1827, show the intentions held at the time of surveying. The limit of the second plot was from "New Street," now Jarvis Street, to Peter Street; Front Street was then so named. Wellington Street, from its terminating at the market grounds, was first named Market street. King street west of George, was originally so named. Adelaide street was named Newgate street. Richmond street was first Hospital Street, both of these streets passing the respective sites for a Jail and Hospital. Queen street was simply designated Street. It was afterwards called Lot street, from the fact that it fronted the Park lots laid out along it on the north side. This street at first terminated at the east by the present intersection of Victoria street, and for a long time it remained unopened on account of the deep ravine lying eastward, the remains of which may yet be seen at Moss Park. Church street obtained its name from the Reserve for the English church, where now stands St. James' cathedral. The ground upon which stand the Parliament Buildings was reserved, and named "Simcoe Place." The present site of Upper Canada College was called "Russell Square." East of the present Victoria street, bounded on the south by "Newgate Street," on the north by "Hospital Street," and on the east by Church Street, was a Reserve for a hospital. Directly south of the square, fronting on King Street was a reserve for the "goal." This new survey received the appellation of "New Town." For many years the portion of Yonge, south of "Lot" Street was unopened. At this point the road turned eastward and passing over vacant ground met King Street at the south end of Toronto street; Victoria street and Toronto street are relics of this old road. The next extension of the city westward, included what was known as Government Common. The maps to which we have referred embrace the land as far as the Humber. At the mouth is noticed a triangular piece of ground marked "Mill Reserve." Then we have the "Garrison Reserve." An irregular shaped lot near the mouth of the Humber is marked for the "Kirk of Scotland." After this is a broken lot and a whole one, and then there are three lots fronting on the lake respectively for the "Chancellor," "President," and "King's College." Immediately north of these but fronting on the Humber, are three more lots reserved for the same purpose. Following the Humber, on Lot 2, 2nd Con., is a reserve for a "Kings Mill," and at the 3rd con. line we find marked "Cooper's Mills." In the 5th con. fronting on the Humber are five lots marked "J. G. Simcoe."

THE ORIGINAL LAND OWNERS.

The territory comprising Upper Canada, now Ontario, was all duly purchased from time to time by the Government from the aborigines in possession. At first numerous and extensive Indian Reserves separated the settlements along the frontier, most of these reserves have been surrendered to the Government by mutual agreement." In 1792 they surrendered 3,000,000 acres, commencing four miles west of Mississauga point, at the mouth of the river Niagara for the sum £1,180 7s. 4d. On the 8th August, 1797, they surrendered 3,450 acres in Burlington Bay for the sum of £165, 2s. 6d. On the 6th September, 1805, 55,000 acres, commencing on the east bank of the Etobicoke river, brought them £1,000, 5s. On the 28th of October, 1818 "the Mississauga tract Home District" consisting of 618,000 acres, went for the respectable sum of £8,500. On the 8th of February, 1820, 2,000 acres, east of the Credit Reserve, brought in £50.

All circumstances at the respective dates considered, the values received for the tracts surrendered as thus duly enumerated may, by possibility, have been reasonable. But there remains one transfer from Messessauga to White ownership to be noticed, for which the equivalent, sometimes alleged to have been accepted, excites surprise. On the 1st of August, 1805, a report of the Indian Department informs us, the "Toronto Purchase" was made, comprising 250,880 acres, and stretching eastward to the Scarboro Heights, and the consideration accepted therefor was the sum of ten shillings. Two dollars for the site of Toronto and its suburbs, with an area extending eastward to Scarboro Heights. The explanation, however, is this, which we gathered from a manuscript volume of certified copies of early Indian treaties, furnished by William L. Baby, Esq., of Sandwich. The Toronto purchase was really effected in 1787, by Sir John Johnson, at the Bay of Quinte! Carrying place; and "divers good and valuable considerations," not specified, were received by the Messessauga on the occasion. But the document testifying to the transfer was imperfect. The deed of August 1st, 1805, was simply confirmatory, and the sum named as the consideration was merely nominal.

On an early map of York can be observed the easternmost limit of the "Toronto Purchase" conspicuously marked by a curved line drawn northwards from the water's edge near the commencement of the spit of land which used to fence off Ashbridge's Bay and Toronto Harbour from the Lake.

A large block of land probably including that upon which Toronto now stands, was at first granted to three French gentlemen of Lower Canada. In 1791 Dep. Surveyor General Collins writes from Quebec to Surveyor Jones that "His Excellency, Lord Dorchester, has been pleased to order 1,000 acres of land to be laid out at Toronto for Mr. Rocheblave; and for Captain Lajorée and Captain Bouchette 700 acres each, at the same place, which please to lay out accordingly and report the same to this office with all convenient speed." But fortune was adverse to the wishes and expectations of these gentlemen. And on the 15th June 1792 Mr.

Jones writes in reply to Mr. Collins. "Your order of the 10th June 1791 for lands at Toronto in favour of Mr. Rocheblave and others, I only received the other day; and as the members of the Land Board think their power dissolved by our Governor's late proclamations relative to granting of lands in Upper Canada, they recommend it to me to postpone doing anything in respect of such order until I may receive some further instructions." No doubt Simcoe was unwilling to favour Lower Canadians at the expense of the U. E. Loyalist settlers and prevented the fulfilment of the promise of Lord Dorchester; at all events nothing further is seen regarding the matter. But there appears reason to believe that those Frenchmen had foreseen the importance of this locality, and contemplated founding a town. In Surveyor Chewett's Journal appears under date April 22nd 1792. "Received from Gov. Simcoe a plan of Points Henry and Frederick, to have a title page put to them, also a plan of the Town and Township of Toronto, and to know whether it was ever laid out."

The disbanded soldiers as well as the American Loyalists were liberally supplied with lands after the war from 1783 until the close of the century. The officers of the various regiments, and a certain number of influential persons enjoyed the advantage of large tracts of land and in the most favorable localities. And when town plots were laid out they usually secured the grant of a number of lots. The custom was to write the name of the grantee on the lot appropriated, whether a town lot or one of 200 acres, or less. The land thus obtained was often disposed of to another who might in turn sell it to a third. Many lots changed hands several times, so that in the list of Patentees the name of the original grantee does not appear. Most of the land around Toronto Bay and along Yonge street was originally granted to the officers and those possessing influence, doubtless arising from just claims. Among those whose names appear upon the original plans are found "James Bouchette 200 acres near to his father's, 21st October 1792. Wm. and Charles Wilcox, 21st October 1792, a front Town lot and 200 acres each of them, in the town and neighborhood of Toronto. John Denison, 21st Oct., 1792, 200 acres neighborhood of Toronto. Joshua Bell, 1,200 acres near Lake Erie, and two town lots at York. John Colman a town lot at Toronto. Thos. Collins new town lot at Toronto. Wm. Kenevery, 15th June, 1793, lots 96, 97, 120, 9th Township, this would be Pickering. Major John Smith 22nd July, 1793, 5,000 acres in Township No. 9 near Toronto. Abel Stevens and associates in Scarborough, 200 acres for himself, and 200 for each of eight children. Bensley Peters loyalist lands at Toronto. James Clark, Barrack master, 1,200 acres near Toronto on Burlington Bay. Arthur McCormack, a Town lot at Toronto. Hon. Peter Russell 1,000 acres in the new Township East of Burlington Bay. The following grants were probably all in the neighborhood of York:—Lewis Grant, 800 acres, Capt. Wm. Hamilton 1,000; Angus McDonnell, 800 acres. Lieut. Allen McNab, 1,000 acres; Capt. Davis, 1,500. Lieut. A. H. Brooking 1,000 acres; Capt. Samuel Smith, 1,000 acres. Ensign John McGill, 1,000 acres; Capt. John McGill 1,000 acres. Surgeon David Burne, 1,000 acres; Capt. Eneas Shaw, 1,000 acres. Dr. James Macauley, 1,000 acres; Capt. Spencer 1,000 acres. Lieut. Wm. Duncannon 1,000 acres."

The foregoing is from Lynch's early history of Peel: A justice of the Peace could assign, in the King's name 200 acres of land to every settler whom he knew to be worthy, and the Surveyor was to point out the land to him. Generally the first who came was the first served; and usually the applicant had carefully examined the available lands before he applied.

The following list is taken from a certified copy of the first Patentees of town lots in York in the Registry Office for which we are indebted to the courtesy of the Registrar.

Town of York, Ontario Street, East side, No. 1 & 2 Anne Smith, patented in 1798; No. 3 Allan McDonald, 1798; 4 Ephraim Holland Payson 1798; 5 William Hunter, 1801; 5 Thomas Ward, 1798. Palace Street 1 John Small 1801; 2 Angus McDonell 1801; 3 Hon. Peter Russell 1798; 4 Elizabeth Russell, 1798; 5 Lawrence Herchmer 1806; 6 William Allan, 1798; 7 George Playter, 1801; 10 William Crooks, 1803; F. William Campbell, 1812; G. Christopher Widmer, 1817; King Street formerly Duke, north side; David W. Smith, 6 lots 1798; 1 John Small, 1816; No. 6 John Kendrick 1808; 7 Wm. Allan, 1798; 8 Samuel Heron, 1798; 9 Daniel Cozens, 1799; 10 Wm. Demont, 1796; 11 John Jones; 11 Samuel Peter Jarvis, 1814; 12 Wm. Smith, 1796; 13 Archibald Cameron, 1801; 14, 15 & 24 Sergt. John McBride, 1798; 15 Hon. J. McGill, 1808; 16 Wm. Wilcocks, 1802; 17 Hiram Kendrick, 1803; 18 Dorcas Kendrick, 1798; 19 John Roche, 1798; 20 Joseph Kendrick, 1798; 21 Edward Wright, 1800; 22 & 23, Joseph Hunt, 1799; 24 Samuel Marthur, 1800. South Side, No. 7, Paul Marion, 1802; 8 Wm. Demont, 1796; 13 & 14 James Miles, 1808; 15 John McGill, 1803; 16 & 21 John McDougall, 1798, 17 Wm. Graham, 1799; 18 Richard Lawrence 1802; 18 & 20 Richard Beasley, *et al*, 1805; 19, Samuel Asburn, 1802; 22, Ira Bissell, 1799; 23 Thomas Cozens, 1799; J. Wm. Halton. John Small, obtained in 1825 a portion of the "reserve for Park Government Buildings," lying east of the Town of York. Duke Street, North Side, No. 1 Neil Holmes, 1799; 2 Thomas Ridout, 1798; 3 Peter Penning, 1801; 4 John Henry Kahman, 1803; 5 Maria Wilcocks, 1800; 6 Hon. James Baby, *et al*, in trust for Roman Catholic Chapel, 1806. South Side, 6 John Matthews, 1802; 7 Parker Miles, 1798; 8 John Ashbridge, 1802; 9 & 10 John H. Kahman, 1802; 11 & 12 Wm. Jarvis, 1811, 13 Titus Geer Simons, 1805; Thomas Ward, 1798; 15 & 16 Wm. Wilcocks, 1801; 17 Malcolm Wright, 1802; 18 Edward Hayward, 1801; 19 Thomas Micar, 1805; 20 Thos. Matthews, 1798; 21 Joseph Kendrick, 1798; 24 Nicholas Kliengenbrunner, 1802. Duchess Street, North Side; No. 1 Wm. Cooper, 1800; 2 Wm. Glandower White, 1798; 3 & 4 Robert Henderson, 1801. Agore Colin Drummond, *et al*, trustees of Presbyterian Congregation, 1825; 5 Alex. McDonell, 1807; 6 Thomas Kirigan, 1800. South Side, 1 Wm. Bond, 1801; 2 Mary Ridout, 1798; 3 Archibald Thomson, 1802; 4 Andrew Thomson, 1807; 5 David Thomson, 1806; 6 John Coun, 1803. George Street, West Side, 1 Joseph Ketchum, 1801; 2 Samuel Nash, 1801; 3 & 4 Samuel P. Jarvis, 1822. Toronto Street, East Side, 1 James Green, 1801; 2 Maria Green, 1801; 3 Wm. Stanton, 1812; 4 David Burns, 1803. Church Street, East Side, Market Block, Hon. Henry Allcock, *et al*, 1803; A. D'Arcy Boulton, *et al*, for church yard and burying ground, 1820; West Side, John McDonell, 1811; Grant Powell, *et al*, for Court House and Jail, 1719; Hon. D. W. Powell, *et al*, in trust, 1819; New Street, West Side, No. 1, Lucy Stewart, 1806; 2, Rev. George O'Kill Stewart, 1806; Lot Street, Old Town, 1 Marianne White, 1798; 2 Charles Samuel White, 1798; 3 John White, 1798. New Town, Lot Street, 14 Pound, 16, John VanZante, 1801; Block A., Rev. Alex. McDonell, *et al*, for R. C. Church, 1832. Front Street, No. 1, Thomas Scott, 1801; 2 James McCaulay, 1802; 3 Charlotte Birely, 1804; 4 John Dennison, 1798; 5 Henry John Boulton, 1839; 6 Thomas Schofield, 1799; 7 Ann Powell, 1798; 8 Hon. Wm. Dummer Powell, 1798; 9 Hannah Jarvis, 1801; 10 Wm. Jarvis, 1801;

12 James Givins, 1801. Simcoe Place, East Side, 1, 2, 3 & 4 Robert Isaac Dey Gray, 1801; 5 & 6 Thomas Raddish, 1798; 7 & 8 Mary Elmsly, 1798; 9 Hon. John Elmsley, 1798; 10 & 11 Catharine Hannah Alcock, 1804; 12 & 13 Hon. Henry Alcock, 1804; 14 & 15 Arthur Holdsworth Brook- ing, 1801; 16 & 17 John Enticott, 1801. A tract of land south east corner of King and Simcoe Streets, Hon. Archibald McLean, *et al*, for Church of Scotland, 1843. Market Street, North Side, 1 Robert Young, 1801; 2 Richard Ferguson, 1816; 3 Thomas Hamilton, 1805; 4 Archibald Thompson, 1799; 5 Benjamin Cozens, 1816; 6 Alex. Wood, 1805; 7 & 8 Wm. Chewett, 1804; 9 Hon. Robert Hamilton, 1805; 10 Hon. Joseph Baby, 1799; 11 Magdalin Cartwright, 1804; 12 Rev. Edward Burke, 1817; 13 George Crookshank, 1801; Lot A. Alex. McDonell, 1801; B. Hon. Pridau Silby, 1809. South Side, a triangular lot, Hon. Thos. Scott, 1805; and Hon. L. P. Sherwood, 1828; No. 1, Thos. Scott, 1801; 2 Elizabeth Tuck McCaulay, 1805; 3 Henry John Boulton, 1820; 4 Alex. McNabb; 1802; 5 Robert Richardson, 1801; 6 Wm. Weekes, 1798; 7 John Powell, 1798; 8 W. D. Powell, 1798; 9 Bartholomew Cranwell Beardsley, 1803; 10 George Law, 1801; 11 John McLancy, 1801; 12 Elizabeth Andrews, 1801. New Town, North Side, King Street, No. 1 Charles Field, 1801; 2 Wm. Bouket, 1800; 3 Robert McDonell, 1811; 4 Capt. Daniel Cozens, 1798; 5 James Richardson, 1799; 6 Phoebe Baldwin, 1816; 7 Charles Will- cocks, 1816; 8 Wm. Cooper, 1806; 9 Hugh Earle, 1800; 10 Wm. Hunter, 1801; 11 & 12 Hon. Wm. D. Powell, *et al*, 1819. South Side, No. 1, R. I. D. Gray, 1805; 2 Theophilus Sampson, 1801; 3 Charles Sellock, 1802; 4 Joseph Ketchum, 1805; 5 Wm. Smith, 1808; 6 Cornelius Benson, 1818; 7 Wm. Chewett, 1804; 8 Isabella Chewett, 1801; 9 Richard Duncan, 1810; 10 Jos. Ross, 1811; 12 Alex. McDonell, 1809; 13 David Ramsay, 1803; 14 Hugh McLean, 1802; Lot B. Hon. D. W. Powell, *et al*, 1819. Newgate Street, North Side, 1 Frederick Baron de Hoen, 1815; 2 Elip- halet Hale, 1804; 3 George Purvis, 1803; 4 George Cutler, 1804; 5 Alex. Burns, 1817; 6 Edward Gaham, 1804; 7 Thomas Steward, 1800; 8 Thomas Coonwell, 1809; 9 Wm. Graham, 1799; 9 Wm. Willcocks, 1801; 10 John McBeath, 1804; 11 John Matchessky, 1801; 12 John Biekie, 1802; 13 Hugh Heward, 1802; 14 James Chesney, 1808; Lot D. Hon. D. W. Powell, *et al*, in trust 1819. South Side, 1 Jonathan Scott, 1800; 2 Job Loder, 1799; 3 Alex. McDonell, 1807; 4 Thomas Knight, 1803; 5 John Bennett, 1802; 6 Thomas Paxten, 1802; 7 Charles Willcocks, 1810; 8 D'Arcy Boulton, 1809; 9 Hon. Thomas Cochran, 1805; 10 Hon. R. I. DeGray, 1804; 11 & 12 Hon. Wm. D. Powell, 1819. Hospital Street, North Side, 1 Joshua Tuck, 1806; 2 James McCaulay, 1805; 3 James Elliott, 1802; 4 John Vanzante, 1801; 5 Andrew Johnston, 1802; 6 Peter Keehun, 1808; 7 Louisa Fournier, 1801; 8 Samuel Ridout, 1801; 9 John Jones, 1813; 10 Nicholas Kliengenbrunner, 1802; 11 Samuel Heron, 1798; 12 Joseph Hunt, 1799; 14 Hon. John Beverly Robinson, 1835; 15 Ira Bissell, 1799; 16 Joseph Kendrick, 1798; 17 Wm. Warren Baldwin, 1801; 18 Joseph Willcocks, 1801; 19 John Henry Jacob Batt- ger, 1801. South Side, 1 Wm. Cooper, 1803; 2 Alex. Bell, 1809; 3 Wm. Jarvis, 1809; 4 & 5 Daniel Tjon, 1816; 6 Andrew Heinlien, 1802; 7 Peter O'Chu 1802; 8 Seneca Ketchum, 1826; 9 Paul Marion, 1802; 10 John Nighton or Niten, 1799; 11 Edward Jessop, Jun'r, 1801; 12 Elisha Beman, 1801; 13 Richard Beasley, 1801; 14 Geo. Coun, 1799; 15 Wm. Clans, 1799; 16 Colin McNabb, 1799; 17 Richard Gamble, 1801; 18 Hon. Lt. Col. Samuel Smith, 1818; 19 John Scarlet, 1817. Lot in rear of Osgoode Hall, J. B. Robinson, 1842; "In the rear of the Public Square at the north end of Church Street," Catharine & Hon. John McGill, 1801. Russell Square, East Side, 1 & 2 John Gamble, 1801; 3 & 4 Allan McLean, 1800; 5 & 6 Hugh Cameron, 1811; 7 & 8 John McDonell, 1801. North Side, 9 George Coun, 1799; 10 & 11 Thomas Fraser, 1799; 12 & 13 Rich- ard Wilkinson, 1799. West Side, 14, 15, 16 & 17, Hon. W. D. Powell, *et al*, in trust, 1719; 18 & 19 Catharine Hannah Alcock, 1804; 20 & 21 Hon. Alex. Grant, 1801. South Side, 22, 25 & 26 Hon. John Elmsly, 1798; 23 & 24 Benjamin Halowell, Lot H. J. B. Robinson, Wm. Allan, *et al*, in trust, 1858. Water Lots, Old Town, Alex. Legg, 1818; Duke Kendricks *et al* 1804; 5 Jacob Hirschmer, 1804; 6 Wm. Allan, 1805; Lot A. Quetton St. George, 1808; B. John Dundram, 1811; 8 Duncan Cameron, 1817. New Town, Hon. Thos. Scott, 1816; Eliza Russell, 1812; Wm. Cooper, 1816; Wm. Birgin, 1854; Daniel Brooks, 1817; Grey C. Wood, 1817; Thomas Milburn, 1837; Andrew Mercer, 1817; Alex. Wood, 1817; Susannah M. Willcox, 1816; Wm. Allan, *et al*, 1817; Joseph Becket, 1846; John Ewart, 1828; D'Arcy Boulton, 1832; John Bishop, Sen. 1833; Henry Hamilton, 1828; Thomas Hillewell, 1828; Alick Howard, 1828; James Baown, 1843; John Small, 1823. On Bay Shore, east side of Peter Street, Hon. Joseph Mason and A. Francis. The city of Toronto, 1840. Strips of land between the top of the bank and the water's edge to corporation, 1834. Portions of the military reserve were granted to various persons from 1835 to 1845. It was divided into sections and lettered from A. to P.

Many of the names of these original inhabitants of York are no longer known among us; but most of them were conspicuous in their day in connection with the Provincial Government, the Local Government, the Militia, the Bench, the Bar, the medical profession, the merchants and various other professions and positions by which their names were intimately associated with the history of York. And we again refer the reader to Dr. Scadding's work for much that is extremely interesting in the history of the individuals above mentioned, and others, who though later on the stage, acted an equally important part in not only building up Toronto, but in developing the resources of the Province, and in laying the foundation of that prosperity we enjoy to-day.

The subsequent extension of Toronto has been made by laying out fresh plots for villas on contiguous land, which in time became incorpo- rated. The first important addition north of the Dundas road, now Queen Street, was what was long known as "Macaulay Town," situated between Yonge Street and Osgoode Hall. This was the southern portion of the lot granted to Dr. James Macaulay, who had been Surgeon of the Queen's Rangers. He was held in high esteem by his companions. One of his sons, Sir James Macaulay, was the first Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, and another, Colonel John Simcoe Macaulay, was a distinguished officer of the Engineers. For many years Macaulay Town was quite out- side the town of York; but now for some years it is part and parcel of the city. In like manner other plots have become annexed, and the bound- aries of the city widened, and now the city presents an extensive aggre- gation of distinct village plots, through which are but a few streets, as King, Queen, and Yonge, which traverse the whole. On the north still remains the municipality of Yorkville, although really a part of Toronto, but the time cannot be far distant when a common interest will affect its incorporation with the city, and it will not be long before the same may be said of Don Mount in the east, and of Parkdale, Brockton and Seaton villages, in the west. In addition to the more lengthy streets above mentioned, one other requires special notice, both on account of its beauty and historical associations. We refer to Jarvis Street, which

extends from the bay to Bloor Street. The name of Jarvis is intimately associated with the history of Upper Canada, and especially with York. Mr. Wm. Jarvis was an American U. E. Loyalist, staying at London, where Gen. Simcoe received his commission as Lieut.-Governor of Upper Canada. Mr. Jarvis, writing to a relative of the same name, a refugee in New Brunswick, says on the 28th March, 1792, "I am also very much flattered to be enabled to inform you the Grand Lodge of England have appointed Prince Edward, who is now in Canada, Grand Master of An- cient Masons, in Lower Canada, and Wm. Jarvis, of Upper Canada, Grand Master in that Province." He says, "the ship that I am allotted to is the *Henneker*, Capt. Winter, a transport with the Queen's Rangers on board." Prince Edward, here mentioned, was afterwards the Duke of Kent, and father of Queen Victoria. Wm. Jarvis died in 1818. Another Jarvis came to York at an early day—Mr. Stephen, a cousin of William. He became the Registrar of the H. District. Both of the cousins fought in the war of 1776. Secretary Jarvis selected a park lot north of Queen Street, and Jarvis Street now divides this lot. The family house when the street was laid out, was found to stand on the line of the street, and the son, Samuel Peters Jarvis, had it removed. The present Sheriff is a descendant of Stephen Jarvis; but the present Col. Jarvis is a grandson of the Secretary. Jarvis Street is the handsomest avenue in Toronto, and cannot perhaps be equalled on the continent. The well formed road, the boulevard borders, and the delightful villas with their well ordered grounds, presents to the eye a very attractive picture. In 1806, the Deputy Postmaster of British North America, George Heriot, says of York:—"The town, according to the plan, is projected to extend a mile and a half north from the bottom of the harbour, along its banks. Many houses are already completed, some of which display a considerable degree of taste. The advancement of the plan to its present condition has been effected within the lapse of six or seven years, and persons who have formerly travelled in this part of the country, are impressed with sentiments of wonder on beholding a town, which may be termed handsome, reared up, up as if by enchantment, in the midst of a wilderness. Two buildings of brick, at the eastern extremity of the town, which were designed as wings to a centre, are occupied as chambers to the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly." This statement may be considered as an improvement on one expressed by a writer some years before that York was better fitted for a frog pond than for human habitation.

At this time there was no postal accommodation. The first regular mail from Lower Canada reached York in Jan., 1808.

The front of the lots along the bay, at first marked by the foot of the Indian, became in time a passable road, with log bridges across the streams. In 1818, 14th July, a Royal Patent was issued providing for a permanent broad promenade along the whole town, under the name of Mall. The decree nominated "John Beverly Robinson, William Allan, George Crookshank, Duncan Cameron and Grant Powell, all of the town of York, as trustees to hold the same for the use and benefit of the inhabi- tants." The whole contained some 30 acres. The development of the city and the country with the construction of the Railroads has taken away that chance of making Toronto a truly beautiful watering place. Had this been procured, the railway depots being located to the north of the city, and Toronto Bay kept pure from the yile sewage, which now pollutes its waters, Toronto would to-day be a far more attractive city than it is.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

Until 1778 the Loyalists who had settled in Upper Canada lived under Martial law. The laws in force were the English and were executed by the officers of regiments stationed in the new settlements. These officers had a general oversight over the settlers, superintended the granting of lands, and bestowed such assistance as was practical, by supplying them with food and implements for their pioneer life. But in the year men- tioned, when Upper Canada was divided into four Districts, competent courts of Justice were created for each district, a judge, sheriff, and other necessary civil officers were appointed. The four judges were Richard Duncan, Richard Cartwright, Wm. Robertson, and Robert Hamilton, the last being the appointee for Nassau, afterward the Home District. Upon the accession of Simcoe, and the meeting of Parliament, a new order of civil law was inaugurated.

The first Act passed by the new Parliament was to introduce the Eng- lish law, as the rule of decision in all matters of controversy, relative to property and civil rights. The second act was to establish trials by Jury. An act was also passed to provide for building a Jail and Court House in each district of the Province, the names of which were then changed. At the same time it was provided that the alteration of the names should not effect the validity of any existing commission granted for the exercise of any authority or jurisdiction within the limits of the several districts. The Justices of the Peace were at the general Quarter Sessions to procure plans of a Jail and Court House, and decide upon a choice, and arrange for their construction. The Act provided where the buildings should be erected in the Eastern, Midland, and Western district, but not for the Home District, probably because a suitable building already existed at Newark. In 1793 an Act was passed to provide for the appointment of Parish officers and Town officers. By this Act "inhabitant householders assembled were to choose a clerk for the parish, town or township, who was to make a complete list of the inhabitants, and make returns to the Quarter Ses- sions." Two Assessors of taxes, one Collector, two or more Overseers of highways, a Pound-keeper, two town Wardens, one by the inhabitants and one by the minister of the church, the constable presiding at the meeting to send a list of the appointed officers to the Quarter Sessions, and all were to be sworn in within seven days, to promise to faithfully discharge their duties. The Quarter Sessions were to appoint yearly a High-Con- stable, and a sufficient number of constables. It was requisite for the com- munity to have at least thirty inhabitants before election could be made. An Act was also passed the same session, fixing the time and place of meet- ing of the Quarter Sessions. That for the Home District was to be held at Newark, the second Tuesday of July, October, January and April. Also an Act to establish a court of Probate, for the Province, and a Sur-rogate court for each District. In 1794 was passed an Act for the regu- lation of Juries.

Gov. Simcoe nominated a Lieutenant for each county who had the right of appointing the Justices of the Peace and officers of the Militia.

The County Lieutenant for York in 1804, as given in a list in the Upper Canada Almanac, was the Hon. David William Smith, Esq.

In 1797 an Act specially for the township of York was passed to en- able the inhabitants to appoint Parish and Town Officers.

We are unable to find any records of the Court of Quarter Sessions of York, prior to 1810, from which we could learn the course of events in re- lation to the functions it performed. Those functions embraced not only judicial duties, but as well municipal work, such as are now performed by the Municipal Councils. But we learn from the press of that time that

the laws were enforced and the public weal maintained, sometimes with a rigorous hand. Thus we find in the *Gazette and Oracle* of Dec. 1st, 1798, published at York, that "Wm. Hawkins was publicly whipped, and Joseph McCarthy burned in the hand, at the Market Place, pursuant to their sentence. The pillory and the stocks were to be seen in the Market Square for many a day, even until 1834, and persons from time to time undergoing punishment.

The following is the earliest account we have of the election of town officers in York, probably it was the first:—

"Persons elected at the Town Meeting held at the City of York on the 4th day of March, 1799, pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the Pro- vince, entitled an Act to provide for the nomination and appointment of Parish and Town Officers within this Province. Clerk of the Town and Township, Mr. Edward Hayward Assessors, (including also the Town- ships of Markham and Vaughan) Mr. George Playter and Mr. Thomas Stoyles. Collector, Mr. Archibald Cameron. Overseers of the Highways and Roads, and Fence-viewers, Benjamin Morley, from Scadding's Bridge to Scarborough; James Playter, from the Bay Road to the Mills, Abraham Devans, circle of the Humber, Paul Wilcot, from Big-Creek to No. 25, inclusive, on Yonge St., and half of Big-Creek Bridge; Daniel Dehart, from Big-Creek to No. 1 inclusive, on Yonge Street, and half of Big-Creek Bridge. Mr. McDougal and Mr. Clarke for the district of the City of York. Pound-keepers circle of the Don, Parshall Terry, Jr.; Circle of the Humber, Benjamin Davis; Circle of Yonge Street, No. 1 to 25, James Everson; Circle of the City, etc., James Nash. Town Wardens, Mr. Archibald Thompson and Mr. Samuel Heron. Other officers, elected pursuant to the 12th Clause of the said Act Pathmasters and Fence- viewers, Yonge Street, in Markham and Vaughan, Mr. Stilwell Wilson, lots 26 to 40, Yonge Street; Mr. John H. Hendrux, 41 to 51, Yonge Street, John Lyons, lots 26 to 35. John Stulz, Pathmaster and Fence- viewer in the German Settlement of Markham. David Thompson, do. for Scarborough."

It is then added:—"N. B.—Conformably to the resolutions of the inhabitants, no hogs to run at large above three months old, and lawful fences to be five feet and a half high. Nicholas Kleinkenbrunner, constable presiding." Furthermore, the information is given that "the following are constables appointed by the Justices: John Rock, Daniel Tiers and John Foster, for the city, etc. Levi Devans for the District of the Humber, Thomas Hill from No. 1 to 25, Yonge Street, Balser Munshaw, for Vaughan and first Concession of Markham;—Squantz for the German settlement of Markham. By order of the Magistrates, D. W. Smith."

"Also notice is given that "such of the above officers as have not yet taken the oath, are warned hereby to do so without loss of time. The constables are to take notice that although for their own ease they are selected from particular districts, they are liable to serve process generally in the county."

We find in the County Attorneys offices some of the records of the proceedings of the General Quarter Sessions, for the Home District; and by permission of the County Attorney T. H. Bull, Esq., have taken a few important extracts to mark the course of events as controlled by that body in the early part of the present century.

"General Quarter Sessions, Home District to wit: At a General Quarter Sessions of the Peace holden in and for said District, in the Town of York, on Tuesday the Tenth day of April, in the Fiftieth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the third by the Grace of God of the Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King Defender of the Faith and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ten. Before Alexander Wood, Esq., Chairman, Duncan Cameron, and Donald McLean Esq., Commissions opened and read. The Sheriff returned the pre- cept. Grand Inquest called. Charles Willcocks, foreman, John Vanzantee, John Jordan, Lewis Bright, Thomas Stoyell, Alfred Barrell, Thaddeus Gilbert, Jordon Post, jr., Joshua B. Tolman, Gerhard Black, Joseph Shaw, Caleb Humphry, Joshua Leach, Patrick Hartney, Philip Clinger, Thomas Baynes, Peter Miller, John Playter, John Campbell, Jordon Post, Sr. Charged and sworn. Delivered to the Grand Inquest an Indictment. The King at the prosecution of Robt. Henderson vs Francis LeClair; Assault and Battery which they returned no bill and the said F. LeClair was accordingly acquitted. The Court adjourned for two hours, Thomas Ridout, Clerk." In the afternoon two prominent inhabitants of York were charged with the same offence, Assault and Battery; and pleaded guilty; and were fined one shilling each, and had to furnish securities for £70, to keep the Peace for 12 months." In looking over the record we notice a very large number of similar charges against persons of both high and low degree, which gives us some knowledge of the state of society at that time. Doubtless the unsettled state of society arising from the new settlement of the country tended to foster the custom of individuals taking the law into their own hands. Also we might here notice the existence at that time of the cruel and barbarous code of honour which induced one to challenge another in mortal combat. Several thrilling cases of duelling occurred in the early days of York in which some of the foremost public men took part and met a violent death.

On the 11th April, in addition to those on the Bench the previous day was James Fulton, Esq. The first trial by the Jury then took place, "Petty Jury called and severally sworn as follows:—Jacob Clayton, Jas. Ross, Wm. Knott, Jno. Murchison, Jno. Brannum, Jno. Daniels, George Duggan, John Doggett, Jesse Ketchum, Michael Doyle, Alexander D. Legg, Jno. McIntosh. The person was tried upon a charge of having being a nuisance, and was found guilty. In the trial that followed we obtain the names of other Jurymen.—Daniel Laughlin, Thomas Tobbit, George Cutter, Peter Ernest, Jacob Smith, Wm. Holloway, Nathaniel Hastings, Geo. Carey, Benjamin Carey, Wm. Hill, Henry Carpenter, Forbes Mitchell; other names afterward appear, Isaac Collumbus, Edward Wright, John Edgett, Alex. Legg, and James Wood. The third trial was against John Thom, Nicholas Kleinkenbrunner, Jno Williams, James Baker, and Jane Roblin, for a nuisance and for keeping a dis- orderly house, they were found guilty and sentenced to be committed to the Home District Jail for the space of 14 days and there to remain un- til they remove all their things out of the Yellow House never to return." On the 15th April, the name of Wm. Allan appears as one of the Magis- trates. On the 16th the court "ordered that D'Arcy Boulton, jr., Post- master for the west end of the Town of York be summoned to give in returns of the statute labor performed in his district." "Joseph Cawthra, Pound Keeper for the Town of York appeared and protested against the Pound as not being in fit repair." The following persons were appointed to be Constables in the Home District for the ensuing year:— Benjamin Cozens, High Constable continued from last year. Jno. J. Kerr, John Vanzantee, Alex. Legg, Daniel B. Wallis, Jno. Brannan, Peter Miller, Ira Gilbert, Benoni Lamson, John Burke, James Lockwood, for the Town of York. For Scarborough, John Wilby and Samuel Kennedy;

for Markham, Abraham Vanhorn, Jno. Miller; for Etobicoke, Benjamin Reynolds; for Vaughan, Peter Frank, and Daniel Sales; for Whitchurch, Samuel Davis and Jno. Harkman; for King, Jas. Rogers and Jno. Minthorn; for Gwillimbury, Humphry Finch and Stephen Howard; for Township of York, Jonathan Hale, Geo. Denison, Thos. Denison, and Nathaniel Hastings; for Whitby, Caleb Groat; Pickering, James Woodruff and Jno. Major. "There being no town meeting held in Pickering and Whitby to choose Town Officers, the Court appointed." On April 19th certain accounts were presented for payment, by which we learn, that Richard Ridout Clerk of the Peace received £48 8s. 11d. from April 1800 to April 1810. Thomas Hamilton, Deputy-Sheriff £15 7s. 6d.; John Bassett, yearly allowance £10. High constable, yearly allowance, £5. Hugh Carfraes, contingent account from 10 Oct., 1809, £10 4s. 3d. The "Speaker's warrant to Thomas B. Gough, Esq., was laid before the Court for his wages as member of the Home District during the Session of 1810, amounting to £21, which was accordingly allowed and ordered by the Court, the same to be raised by adding it to the assessment for the East Riding of the County of York; also the Speaker's warrant to Jno. Wilson Esq., for his wages as member for the West Riding of York, £24 which was allowed, and added to the assessment of that Riding. Jordan Post, Pathmaster for the East end of the town of York, reported that he had money unexpended. The Court summoned John Jordan, to show why he refused to accept the office of Collector for the Town of York. Mr. Jordan would not accept the office, and paid his fine. Hugh Heward Assessor for 1810 reported a list of persons who refused to give a list of all their rateable property. Those persons were Maria Wilcocks, Elizabeth Russell, John Small, Wm. Jarvis, Wm. Demont, J. K. Johnson, Wm. Frith Wm. Wilcocks, Jno. Vanzantee, Jno. Jordan, Wm. Walker, Esther Ruggle. On the 5th of May, Wm. Smith of York attended Court to be sworn into office in place of Jno. Jordan. On the same date, for omitting to give a list of rateable property, Jno. Small, Hugh Heward, Orin Hale, Forbes Mitchell, Wm. Smith &c., were summoned to appear, also a number of persons from the different townships. On the 12th May, Mr. Mitchell, and Wm. Smith, Tallow Chandler, appeared and gave a correct list and saved their fines.

July 10, 1810, the Court met, Wm. Allan chairman, Duncan Cameron, Wm. Graham, Donald McLean and Archibald Thompson, present. "Justices of our said Lord, the King, and also to hear and determine divers felonies, trespasses and other misdeeds in the District committed." The Grand Jury consisted of Asa Patrick, foreman, Edward Wright, David Ferriek, Wm. Jones, Colin Drummond, David Thompson, Geo. W. Post, Wm. Knowles, Moses Gamble, Joseph Lumbliston, Henry Ausman, Jas. A. Barmaster, James Ogden, Frederick Hedrick, Timothy Wheeler, Isaiah Willmott, Joseph Plum. Wm. Jones and Gad Weller were appointed Pathmasters for Scarborough. Joseph Carfrae was ordered to be paid £60 15s for putting up Jail Pickets. July 21 a report from Rich. Holt, Esq., respecting Statute Labor, being proceedings of a petty session holden at the head of the Lake for that purpose. David Morrison was collector for Scarborough in 1810; and Jacob Bawn collector for Markham. 1st September an application was made by the Court to the Lieut.-Governor "to allow a piece of ground opposite the Jail 50 ft. square for a Pound. Hugh Carfrae agreed to put up a fence at the rate of £16 9s. 6d. six feet above the ground, to be completed this fall, and agrees to await till April for his pay, with interest."

The Court opened on the 9th Oct., with the same form as at the previous sessions. Alexander Wood chairman, Donald McLean, Richard Beasley, Samuel Smith, Archibald Thompson, Justices assigned to keep the peace." Wm. Robinson was the foreman of the Grand Inquest. Caleb Humphrey, path-master for the west end of York for 1810 was inducted to work the road to the Humber, passing the Garrison, commencing at Mr. Given's farm. 3rd Nov., 1810, Court met; present, Wm. Allan and Duncan Cameron. There being nothing to do, the Court adjourned for Michaelmas Term.

Wm. Allen filled a number of offices in his day. The first post-office in Toronto was on Mr. Allan's premises, on Frederick Street, of which he was post-master. At the foot of this street was the first and for a long time the principal wharf, which belonged to Mr. Allen. Here also was the first Custom House, Mr. Allan being Collector. He was also Inspector of Flour, Pot and Pearl Ash, and of Shop Duties. In the possession of so many positions, we see unmistakably the existence of rare ability on the part of that gentleman. The Hon. G. W. Allan, of Moss Park, is a descendant of this distinguished pioneer of the Town of York.

At Government buildings, 8th Jan, 1811, Thomas Ridout, being appointed, took oath prescribed by law, as a Magistrate. The following Justices took their seats: Thomas Ridout, unanimously chosen chairman, Duncan Cameron, Wm. Allan, Donald McLean, James Fulton; Stephen Heward took the oath as Clerk of the Peace. Mathias Sanders was chosen foreman of the Grand Inquest.

From the foregoing we find that Courts were held at first in different places, but most frequently in the Government buildings. The officials of the Court which met here, were all engaged in Lake Ontario in 1805. The government schooner, *Speedy*, Capt. Paxton, was on its way to Pres Isle (Brighton) with Judge Cochrane Solicitor Gen. Gray, Sheriff Angus McDonell, Mr. Fisher, the High-Bailiff, with an Indian prisoner, Ogetonicut, two interpreters, Cowan and Ruggles, a number of witnesses, and Mr. Herchmer, of York, and on the night of 7th Oct., 1805, a violent storm overtook the vessel and all on board perished. The first place set apart expressly for holding the Quarter Sessions was a large two story building, on Queen St., near George, which had been erected by "old Montgomery." We have also learned something respecting the first Jail. According to Dr. Scadding, it was situated on the south side of King St., a short distance east of Yonge. It "was a square unpainted wooden building, with hipped roof, concealed from persons passing in the street by a tall cedar stockade such, as those we see surrounding Hudson Bay Post. At the outer entrance hung a billet of wood suspended by a chain, communicating with a bell within, and occasionally Mr. Parker, the custodian in charge, was summoned through its instrumentality by persons not on their legitimate business." The condition of the jail in 1811 is revealed by the report of Sheriff Beikie, who says: "that the sills in the east cells are completely rotten; that the ceilings in the debtor's rooms are insufficient, and that he cannot think himself safe should necessity oblige him to confine any persons in said cells or debtor's rooms." In 1824 a Court House and a Jail were erected on "Court House Square," King Street. The two buildings were alike two storeys high and of red brick. The cost was £5,800; John Haydon, contractor. His Excellency laid the foundation stone in the presence of a distinguished assembly. The grounds around the buildings were long known as the "Public Place," where large public meetings were held at election and other exciting times; and here was enacted some of the most startling and thrilling events in connection with the most exciting times in the history of Upper Canada.

A special session was held on the 1st March, 1811, at the house of the Hon. Duncan Cameron. To Canadians of the present day, who feel a just pride in the fact that their country affords a striking contrast to the United States—the country of loud boasting liberty—in having been a place of refuge from the worst form of tyranny to the enslaved African it will appear strange to read the following incident occurring in the town of York, so late as the time mentioned:—"Wm. Jarvis, Esq., of the town of York, informed the Court that a negro boy and girl, his slaves, had the evening before been committed to prison for having stolen gold and silver out of his desk in his dwelling house and escaped from their said master, and prayed that the said court would order that the said prisoners, with one Coakley, a free negro, also committed to prison, on suspicion of having advised and aided the said boy and girl in escaping with their master's property. They were ordered accordingly. Deposition taken in court in connection therewith from Wm. Jarvis, Wm. D. Forest, Doctor James Glennan, Isaac Collumbus. At this date an uneasy feeling existed regarding the attitude assumed by the United States toward England, for already were heard the low rumbling of the storm, which burst upon Canada in the following year, when the thunder of war was heard along the frontier. Canada was infested by a number of American agents and spies, who were endeavouring to alienate the feelings of Canadians from the British throne, and who communicated to the American Government such information as could be obtained. It will not then cause surprise to find that at a meeting of the Court at Government Buildings, on the 9th April, 1811, Wm. Allan being chairman and Thomas Marcoe foreman of the Grand Jury, that "on information to the Grand Inquest, a presentment by them against Jesse Uppdegroff, for having damned the King and used other disrespectful language, at the house of James McBride, on Yonge Street: the informant, James Gernan." But when order was made for his appearance he was not to be found in the district.

For High Constable this year the Court appointed Benjamin Cozens.

The Court on the 15th April "took into consideration the appointing Surveyors of the Public Highways for the Home district, pursuant to an Act passed in 1810, for laying out and keeping in repair the public highways and roads, &c., whereupon the following persons were appointed: John Ashbridge, for southern part of the east riding of the County of York; Malcolm Wright for the northern part of the east riding. On the 2nd April, 1811, the Court has the Speaker's warrant to John Willson, for his wages as member for the west riding of the county for the present year—£24 10s., which was approved. George Chisholm is appointed Surveyor of public roads, and Richard Hatt and Isahel Davis assistants. The 25th May, Wm. Knott, keeper of the Home District Jail petitions to be appointed keeper also of the House of Correction about to be opened.—Granted. 15th July the Court ordered that a carpenter be employed to make moveable stocks that will confine two persons at once, and when completed that they be erected where a majority of the Magistrates may think most proper. 20th July, "The High Constable appeared before the Court, but did not satisfy the Court respecting the sales of Quaker's property for Militia fines imposed on them last year. Nov. 11, he produced notes of hand from the purchasers of Quaker's fines for the year 1800, not yet collected, amounting to £32. There appeared to have been 106 executions issued against the Quaker's property that year by Duncan Cameron, Esq., and given to Cozens, the high constable, to collect." This was of course because they would not perform Militia duty. A letter was read from Jno. Beikie, Sheriff, dated 4th Dec., 1811, to Thos. Ridout, chairman of the Quarter Sessions, respecting the cold and dampy condition of the Jail, &c., and asking for stoves to be placed in the building. The request was granted. Prisoners evidently were not so comfortably provided for as now-a-days. Wm. Allan, it appears, was inspector of the Home District for the issuing of licenses at this time. The proceedings of the court from this period furnish but little appropriate for this sketch. In 1812 we find that Charles Boynes is the High Constable. In 1813 the Court "ordered that Joseph Cawthra be Collector for the town and township of York, instead of Stephen Jarvis chosen by the town meeting in March. Mr. Jarvis having been collector for the previous year," by which it would seem the Court had the power of setting aside the choice of the people in matters municipal.

One of the commissions to the magistrates now before us dated 11th May, 1813, shows the whole list at that time. "Upper Canada, George III., &c.:—Samuel Smith, administrator to the Hon. Wm. Dummer Powell, Chief Justice of our Province of Upper Canada, the Hon. Thomas Scott, Wm. Campbell, D'Arcy Boulton, James Baby, John McGill, Wm. Claus, Thomas Clark, Wm. Dixon, Neil McClean, Thomas Fraser, Thomas Talbot, Samuel Smith, Hon. and Rev. John Strachan, John Small, James Macaulay, Wm. Allan, Alexander Wood, Richard Lovekin, Duncan Cameron, Elisha Beman, Alexander McDonell, Alexander Fletcher, Thomas Ridout, William Chewett, Grant Powell, Stephen Jarvis, William Thompson, Peter Robinson, George Playter, the elder William Tyler, Thomas Arnold, William Richardson Caldwell, George Crookshank, Joseph Wells, William Boucher, D'Arcy Boulton, the younger, John Baldwin, James Miles, William Smith, of Pickering, William Angus Baldwin and Henry Kent, Esqrs. Know ye that we have assigned you jointly and severally and every one of you, our Justices, to keep our Peace in our Home District. D. Cameron, registrar and secretary."

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT.

One of the oldest records of the H. D. contains "abstracts of the assessments for the town of York and township of York, Vaughan and Markham, February 1798," showing returns by Thomas Barry and George Playter, Assessors, and approved by John Small and Wm. Wilcocks, magistrates; with a note stating that "Mr. Samuel Heron appears to have been collector for the year 1798." The whole is signed by Thos. Ridout, Clerk of the Peace, Home District, 1800. Abstracts of the assessment roll for the same places, taken July 1799, show as assessors, George Playter and Thos. Stoyell; "approved by Wm. Jarvis, J.P., Jno. Small, J.P., and Wm. Wilcocks, J.P., collector Archibald Cameron, J. Ridout Clerk of the Peace. Abstracts of the town clerk's return of Inhabitants in the Home District, 1801. Township of King, 5 men, 5 women, 20 children—total 30; Markham in the German settlement, 44 men, 30 women, 72 children—total 146; on Yonge street, 13 men, 9 women, 35 children—total 55; Vaughan, 19 men, 17 women, 67 children—total 103; Town of York, York Township, Etobicoke and Scarborough together, had 45 males, 298 females (children included), total 749; the number of men was 278. Whitchurch, 15 men, 7 women, 22 children—total 44; the grand total of the inhabitants, 547 men, 366 women, 124 boys, 90 girls, amounting to 1127. "N.B. The other Townships in this district have not yet held their respective Town meetings." The abstracts of assessment roll for 1800, shows as Assessors, Elisha Beman and John Ashbridge; collector, Jacob Herchmer, treasurer, Wm. Allan Esq. The Parish town

officers of the Home District for the year 1801: Markham, Vaughan, King and Whitchurch; Town Clerk, Stillwell Willson, assessors, Nathaniel Gamble, and Richard Luppincott; collector, Peter Vandembury, overseers of highways, Jno. Willson, Esq., Wm. Graham, Hugh Shaw, Count de Charles, Saml. Quant, Henry Shell, George Pringle, Joseph Henningway, poundkeepers; Abner Miles, Abm. Walker; Town Wardens, Hugh Shaver, Wm. Tyler. Township of York, town of York, Etobicoke and Scarborough: Town Clerk, Eli Playter, Assessors, Jas. Playter, Simon McNabb; collector, Jno. Cameron; overseers of highways, Elisha Beeman, Robt. Young, Jno. Ashbridge, Jno. Playter, Benj. Davis; pound keepers, Allan Galloway, Jno. Davis, James Evenou Thos. W. Jones; town wardens, Jacob Herchmer, D. Cameron. The total amount collected this year by assessment, the district extending from Murray to the Grand River, was £154 13s. 0d., Hope excepted, where no town meeting was held to elect parish and town officers.

The accounts of the Home District from 1st Jan., 1800, to 1st April, 1801, show among others paid, that Alexander McDonnell, Esq., Sheriff received "for summoning and returning a jury to the April sessions of 1800, and 1801, £5" each; Thos. Ridout Esq., clerk of the peace, his account to the 1st of April, 1801, including the printers, £27 13s. 5d. Hugh Cameron, keeper of the district jail, salary and contingencies £27 13s. 5d. John Kendrick, high constable, one year's salary £20; Daniel Tiers, keeper of the Court of Quarter sessions and Home District Court, one year's salary £8; John Van-Zantee and Collins, repairs to the Jail £36 3s. 6d.; Jno. Edgell, firewood for Jail £7 10s.; Andrew Thompson, mason work for Jail £4 1s. 3d.; Wm. Hants, blacksmith work 12s. 6d. Constables appointed by the General Quarter Sessions for the year commencing 14th April 1801: Scarboro, James Elliot and Joseph Wickson; York, Samuel Enea and Alex. Galloway; Vaughan, James Gilman; King, Philip Cody; Markham, John Wickhorn; Etobicoke, Thomas Giney; town of York, John Harrison, John Edgett. Geo. Cutter, Reuben Riggs, Elias Burnbock, Jno. J. Karr, Jos. McMurtrie, Joseph Hunt, Wm. Cooper, Elisha Beeman, James Playter. "The treasurers account with the Home District 1800—1801: Edward Haywood, town clerk for two years, by order of the Quarter Sessions £60; Oct. 8th paid two constables for going up the Humber to apprehend the rioters. Jan. 17th 1801; paid Jno. Lyons for two wolves scalps as per Mr. Ruggles certificate £2; paid to Wm. Peak, 4 wolves scalps, killed 1779; and to Kuck, 6 do, £6. Balance in the hands of the treasurer £4 5s. 11d.; cash received from Samuel Heron, collector 1797 & 1798, £25, 18s. 9d., less his commission of 3 per cent. £0 15s. 11d.; fine from R. Wilson for refusing to be a constable 2/- (signed) Wm. Allen, Treasurer." In 1802 Eli Playter was again town clerk for York township, the town, Scarborough and Etobicoke; town wardens, John Beikie and Joseph Wilcocks; for Whitchurch, King and Gwillimbury, James Playter was town clerk; for Vaughan and Markham, Stillwell Willson, town clerk; assessors, Thos. Stoyell and Philip Ackard; collector, Jno. Dexter; path masters, Robt. Marsh, John Fisk, Jacob Fisher, Col. DeMercy; French Settlement, Albert Spring, Peter Earnst, Jno. Kelmeyer, Jno. Wickhorn, Jno. Philips; Dutch Settlement, town wardens, Mathias Saunders, Balser Munshow, Jno. H. Somerfeldt, Henry Becker. The returns for 1802 of the number of inhabitants given for Scarborough total 89; town of York, township and Etobicoke 659; Markham, on Yonge street 114; German settlement, 226; Vaughan, 111; King, Whitchurch, and East and West Gwillimbury, 227. Jno. Kendrick received one year's salary as high constable £20; 1803, the town clerk for York town and township, Scarborough and Etobicoke, was Wm. Bond; assessors, Jno. Cameron and Ephraim Payson; collector, Jno. McBeath; town wardens, Wm. Allan, Jacob Herchmer; for Markham and Vaughan town clerk, Daniel Cozens; town warden for Vaughan, Thos. Stoyell; John H. Hudson, for Markham; Daniel Hoddick, Jos. Pengall; for Whitchurch, King and the Gwillimbury's town clerk, Jos. Playter; town officers, Joseph Sutherland, Wm. Kennedy.

"Abstract of the assessment of the Home District for the year commencing 7th March, 1803: number of acres of land uncultivated—town of York, 111,684 (sic.); township of York, 249,85 (sic.); Scarboro, 2,900; Etobicoke, 1,871; Markham, 29,456; King, 5, 153; Vaughan, 9,394; Whitchurch 8,968; The Gwillimbury's, 14,025. Cultivated:—town of York 471; township of York, 1,100; Scarboro, 170; Etobicoke, 45; Markham, 1,156; King, 150; Vaughan, 450; Whitchurch, 105; the Gwillimbury's, 169. Number of horses of the age of 3 years and upwards: town of York, 41; township of York, 52; Scarboro, 5; Etobicoke, 7; Markham, 52 King, 8; Vaughan, 20; Whitchurch, 20; The Gwillimbury's, 28. Number of oxen 4 years old and upwards: town of York, 80; township, 68; Scarboro, 8, Etobicoke, 6; Markham, 103; King, 18, Vaughan, 40; Whitchurch, 53; the Gwillimbury's 52. Number of milch cows: town of York, 43; township, 133; Scarboro, 27; Etobicoke, 16; Markham, 219; King, 43 Vaughan, 63; Whitchurch, 53; The Gwillimbury's, 74. Young horned cattle from 2 to 4 years: Town of York, 19; township, 45 Scarboro, 7; Etobicoke, 1; Markham, 76 King, 14; Vaughan, 20; Whitchurch, 35; the Gwillimbury's 25. Number of swine of one year and upwards: town of York, 25; Township, 53; Scarboro, 15; Etobicoke, 6; Markham, 65; King, 9 Vaughan, 22; Whitchurch, 12 the Gwillimbury's, 7. Grist mills having one run of stones: town of York, 2; township, 1. Saw-mills; town, 2; Township, 2. Houses in town of York, 75; township, 7; Scarboro, 3; Etobicoke, 1; Whitchurch, 1. Houses in the country: town of York, 5; Township, 8; Scarboro, 1; Markham, 10; King, 1; Vaughan, 4; Whitchurch, 1; Gwillimbury, 1. Taverns: town of York, 4; township, 2; Etobicoke, 1. Merchant's shops: town, 6; Markham, 1; King, 1; Vaughan, 1. Store-houses; town, 4. In 1803 "Wm. Allan was treasurer, Wm. Jarvis chairman," probably of the Quarter Sessions. In 1804, Eli Playter was again town clerk for the same townships for Markham and Vaughan, James Miles; for King and Whitchurch, Jos. Playter; Gwillimbury, Jno. Weddel. This year Nicholas Klengenbruner was Jailor and received £16 5s.; Jno. Bassett, keeper of Court. Robert Miller, Esq. had wages for attending his duty 15 days in the 3rd sessions of the 3rd Provincial Parliament, £7 10s., also 4th session £7. In the general account of all rateable property for the Home District year ending 5th March, 1804, the valuation is £53,094, 12s. "Parish and town officers elected and chosen in and for the Home District, on Monday, the 4th day of March, 1804:" York town and township, Scarboro and Etobicoke, again Eli Playter, town clerk; town warden, Joseph Hunt; Markham, Nicholas Miller, T. C.; Vaughan, Jno. Hudson, T. C.; Whitchurch and King, Jas. Playter, T. C. Among the general accounts current is one for making pillory and stocks, £7. The total valuation, general assessment commencing 4th March, 1805, including Pickering, Whitby, Flamboro', Beverly and Block No. 2, Grand River was £4,970, 18s. In 1806 Eli Playter was again elected town clerk for the same township, Duncan Cameron, church warden, and Robert Henderson town warden; Markham, Peter Anderson T. C.; Vaughan, T. C. Hudson, T. C.; Whitchurch,

King and Uxbridge, Jos. Playter, T. C.; Gwillimbury, Waddall, T. C. 1807, town clerks, Eli Playter and Nicholas Delong; for Markham, Hugh Shaw and Ebenezer Cook; Vaughan, T. C. Hudson, T. C.; Whitechurch, King, and Uxbridge, Jos. Playter, T. C.; Gwillimbury, Waddall, T. C. The valuation of rateable property in 1807 for the Home District was \$85,945 12s. Total number of inhabitants 4,898, including the townships before mentioned. Total number in 1809, 6,171. In 1810, No. houses: round log, 847; square timber, 1 story, 59; with additional fireplaces, 20; round log houses, 1. In the town of York, 9; township 8; Markham, 17; Vaughan, 9; Pickering, 3; Whitby, 5; Toronto township, 2. Square timber, two storeys: in town, 5; in township, 1; in Markham, 1. Framed, under two storeys, 119; brick, under 2 storeys, 231; Framed, brick or stone of 2 storeys, 34. Grist mills, wrought by water, with one run of stones, 13; with additional stones 3, of which one was in Markham and two in Whitechurch; saw mills number 28; merchant-shops 20; store houses, 4; stallions 8; horses, 3 years old and upwards, 1,155; oxen, 4 years old and upwards, 1,050; milch cows, 2,645; young horned cattle, 995; swine, 1 year and upwards, 763; vessels of 8 tons and upwards, 3. Total valuation of rateable property, \$115,166 10s. This list is signed by T. G. Ridout, deputy Clerk of the Peace. Number of persons assessed, 1,338. In 1811, the general assessment is signed S. Heward, C. P., H. D. Coming to 1815, the number assessed is 1606; total valuation of property \$183,210 11s. In the year 1820, 18th May, number of inhabitants in H. D., consisting of town and township of York, Whitby, Pickering, Scarborough, Markham, Vaughan, Wai to church Uxbridge, the Gwillimburies, Toronto township and Etobicoke. In the town of York, total 1,240, having an increase from last year of 66; township, 1672, increase 319; Whitby 505, increase 38; Pickering 375, increase 63; Scarborough 477, increase 123; Markham 1789, increase 129; Vaughan 759, increase 85; King 278, increase 45; Whitechurch and Uxbridge 1,335, increase 257; East and West Gwillimbury, 769, increase 12; Georgina and North Gwillimbury 247, increase 45; Toronto township 722, increase 153; Etobicoke 465, increase 126. Total population 10,835; total increase 1,451. In the returns of rateable property we find for the first time the following articles specified:—"Close carriages, with 4 wheels, kept for pleasure, 4 in town, phaetons or other open carriage kept for pleasure 8, 6 of which are in the town and 2 in the township; carriages, gigs, or other open carriages, with 2 wheels, for pleasure, 11 in the town and 2 in the township; waggons, for pleasure, 1 in the town, 16 in the township, 1 in Vaughan, 2 in King and 3 in Whitechurch. The number of inhabitants in 1825: Town of York 1677; township, 2,412; Scarborough 758; Markham 2,371; Vaughan 996; King 450; Whitechurch and Uxbridge 1,476; E. Gwillimbury 1,015; N. Gwillimbury 248; Georgina and Mono 75; Etobicoke 636; W. Gwillimbury 524. Number of merchant shops 67; store houses 6; close carriages, with 4 wheels, 9 in town; phaeton or carriages, 4 wheels, 13; carriages, gigs, 2 wheels, 21, 19 in town, 2 in township; waggons, for pleasure, 4 in town, 13 in township, 16 in Whitechurch and Uxbridge.

In the year 1828, 31st Dec., the returns are signed by S. Washburn, well known as the Hon. Simeon Washburn. "Returns for the information of His Excellency, the Lieut.-Governor, in reply to his circular letter dated 18th March, 1829, requesting information on the undermentioned subject. Manufactories—1st, Eastwood and Skinner, River Don, 3 miles from York, Paper Mills; 2nd, R. Dutcher, town of York, Cupola Furnace, or Iron Foundry; 3rd, also Plough Manufactory, Cast Steel, Axe do.; 4th, H. Shephard, York, Iron Foundry; 5th also Plough Manufactory; 6th, also Cast Steel Factory; 7th, C. Reesor, 10th Con. Markham, Carding Machine and Felling Mill; 8th, J. Hoover, 6th Con. Markham, the same; 9th, B. Miller, 7th Con. Markham, the same; 10th, R. Hosher, 2nd con. of Markham, the same; 11th, Williams of the same place, the same; 12th, A. Miller, township of York, the same; J. Scurlet, of the same place, the same; 13th, Eli Graham, Whitechurch, Newmarket, the same; 14th, Thorpe & Halford, Vaughan, Yonge Street, 15 miles from York, Fanning Mill Manufactory; 15th, Pennery & Weed, township of York, 7 miles town, the same; 16th, ships or vessels built in 1828, one 20 tons, Big Bay Whitby, one 5 tons, mouth of River Rouge, one 64 tons, York, one 37 tons, York; 17th, Salt Works in operation, one in 3rd con. Whitby: quantity produced from 2½ to 4 bushels the day.

The number of inhabitants in 1830: Town of York, 2,860; township, 3,127; Scarborough, 1,135; Markham, 3,070; Vaughan, 1,512; Whitechurch, 1,822; King, 766; W. Gwillimbury, 352; E. Gwillimbury, 1,106; Georgiana, 182; Etobicoke, 1016; Uxbridge, 5; N. Gwillimbury, 72. In 1833 Wm. Hepburn's signature appears as deputy Clerk of the Peace. The interesting volume from which we have taken the foregoing figures, closes with a comparative statement of the population of the Home District in 1800, 1817, 1820, and 1830. In 1800, 1,127; 1817, 7,230; 1820, 10,833; 1830, 28,865. The return is dated at the "office of the Clerk of the Peace, Toronto, 29th Jan., 1840, (signed) Geo. Gurnett, clerk P. H. D." Mr. Gurnett was afterward Police Magistrate.

York was incorporated as the city of Toronto in 1834, March 6, the limits being considerably extended. The first mayor was William Lyon McKenzie. The circumstances which led to his election were briefly as follows: Mr. McKenzie's views of reform as a representative of the County of York, in Parliament had been extremely obnoxious to the governing party and majority of members, and he had been expelled for an alleged breach of Parliamentary privilege, no less than five times and as often re-elected. He was popular not only in the county, but with a majority of the inhabitants of the newly-made city. Although the McKenzie's party had opposed the incorporation of the city, yet when the civic elections for Councilmen took place they entered into a contest which was more political than municipal. McKenzie contested the second ward with Dr. Widmer and defeated him. The majority of the councilmen elected were in favor of McKenzie, and by their votes placed him in the civic chair, where he became not only the first Mayor of Toronto, but the first mayor elected in Upper Canada.

GROWTH OF TORONTO.

When Toronto became a city there was not a single foot of side-walk in the place. The city contained but two hundred and eighty-seven buildings, good and bad. King street terminated at Peter street. The population in 1830 had been, 2,860, but when the census was taken in 1836, it had increased to 10,000. The increase was far more rapid after its incorporation. The Rebellion in 1837 interfered to some extent with its advancement. Business generally was at a stand-still. For the particulars of the events then enacted, the reader is referred to the interesting work published a few years ago by Mr. Charles Lindsay.

The second mayor of Toronto, was Mr. R. B. Sullivan, afterwards Judge of Court of Common Pleas. During this year the bridges over the Don were completed by aid from the military chest. On the 22nd of August they were handed over by the military authorities to the city for the benefit of the inhabitants, that they may at all time to come be en-

abled to enjoy the salubrious air of the peninsula. The mayor, "who was arrayed in an official robe of purple velvet lined with scarlet," read a reply.

THE CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS.

The formation of roads by cutting away the trees and making the way passable in the County of York was necessarily a gradual work. In the settlement of the Province the pioneer at first followed the course of the shores of the lakes, bays, rivers and the smallest of streams. And wherever was found an Indian path, it was pursued. In surveying and laying out the concessions and lots, pains were taken to secure a frontage as far as possible on these water ways and Indian trails. By examining the Map of County, it will be seen that along the shore of the bay the lots front on that water, west of Yonge Street there are three tiers of lots or con. fronting south. East of Yonge there is only one, excepting at the South East corner where are two. These were probably surveyed, at an earlier date. The line of Yonge St. having been marked, it became the front, and the rest of the County is laid out with the concessions running north and south.

When settlers took up their abode on the lots remote from the water paths would be formed to the nearest point on the water. These were irregular according as natural obstacles, as hills or streams or marshes barred the way. In time the foot path became widened for the horseman and later on for the vehicle. Afterward attention would be given to make the road straight by levelling hills, grading the way and bridging streams. This was at first accomplished by the settlers singly or in parties. In after days the public purse was employed to open up and construct new roads from point to point. The first settlers in York in 1793 found an Indian trail along the front from the mouth of the Humber to the mouth of the Don. Following these rivers to their sources Indian paths were found connecting them with the head waters of the Holland River. Immediately after the advent of Simcoe steps were taken by him to open roads in different directions. The ways along the shore were widened and made passable between the garrison by the old fort and the Government grounds.

The work by the first Governor was however done by the troops, and done more easily than when accomplished by the settlers. From the path to Castle Frank others were formed as settlement proceeded. There was at an early date one leading to the Playter settlement, and another towards the settlers on Yonge Street north of Yorkville. On the east of the Don, a short distance from the lower bridge there was a road opened before 1799, northward to the mills of Parshall Terry called the "Mill Road." Terry was "Overseer of ways from the Bay Road to the Mills in 1800." These became known as the Don Mills; this road became a considerable thoroughfare in time, especially from 1821 to 1849. It led to the numerous flour mills, saw mills felling mills, carding mills, paper mills and breweries, which were built near Terry Mills by the Helliwells, Skinners and Eastwoods. The erection of bridges further north has caused the traffic on the Mill Road to be much diminished.

DUNDAS STREET.—Governor Simcoe conceived the idea of making for Upper Canada two great roads, one to traverse the province from east to west from Lower Canada to Lake Huron, the other from north to south. These were to intersect at York. The former would of course be immeasurably longer than the latter. They were designed for the double purpose of commerce and of forming a military high-way. The road east and west was primarily limited to the opening of a road westward from York to the waters of the river Thames. The road north and south was intended to connect Lake Ontario with Lake Simcoe, and beyond to the Georgian Bay. These roads are called "streets" in the first maps of Upper Canada, no doubt after the streets built by the Romans for military purposes. Simcoe employed his troops in making the road from Burlington Bay toward the Thames, and that toward the north. He also intended to have them open the way between Burlington and York. The road eastward toward Kingston, was to be constructed in time by the settlers, meanwhile the communication with Montreal was to be made by water. The old maps show the line of this intended road, some parts which are placed further north than the present Kingston Road. The road was called by Simcoe, Dundas street after the Right Hon. Henry Dundas Viscount Melville, who was Secretary of State for the Colonies. Dundas street was slowly constructed eastward. In 1799, it is recorded that the road from York to the Bay of Quinte was "contracted out by Government to Mr. Danforth to be cut and completed by the first of July next." "Mr. Danforth had already made forty miles of excellent road." The *Gazette* of Dec. 14th, 1799, says: "The road from York to the Midland District is completed as far as the Township of Hope, about sixty miles, so that sleighs, waggons, &c., may travel it with safety. Mr. Danforth did his work in a satisfactory manner. The Danforth road is known to this day.

The Dundas street leading from York westward was cut out and improved by the Rangers. A plan of Etobicoke prepared in 1811, has marked a "Road to York opened by Government." And in 2 & 3 Concessions appears "the Rangers' old Improvement." In 4th Concession, running north-erly, is "Old Road to York, while at the north of the plan is marked 'New Improvements.' The Rangers' old road here indicated was a portion of Dundas street. The others mark the advancing settlement of the land requiring additional avenues to York.

The present Richmond street, at first named Hospital street was for a long time the main thoroughfare from the West. Queen street was laid out along the Park lots. In 1800 it was proposed to close up Queen street, then Lot, as it was regarded as unnecessary.

The *Gazette* and *Oracle* of 4th Aug., 1834, advertises for "Proposals for the opening and repairing the road and building bridges between the town of York and the Head of Burlington Bay—leading from Lot Street adjoining the town of York, beginning at Peter Street, to the mouth of the Humber, of the width of 33 feet." By the same paper we learn that Dundas street in 1806 was not yet made through the Indian Reserve at the Credit. The road from York to the head of the Bay, was along the lake shore. A portion of the road by York was opened by Col. G. T. Denison, Sen. The roads made by the regulars under the direction of the Royal Engineers, was by cutting the trees close to the roots and then smoothing off the surface of the stump with an adze; but Denison with a number of militia men, proceeded to remove the trees root and branch.

YONGE STREET.—The object of Simcoe in the construction of Yonge street is more fully set forth by Surveyor Smith's *Gazetteer* in 1799, where it is stated that Yonge street is the direct communication from York to Lake Simcoe, opened during the administration of Simcoe, who having visited Lake Huron by Lake aux Claies, formerly also Ouenturonk or Sinion, and now named Lake Simcoe, and discovered the harbour of Penetanguishene, now Gloucester, to be fit for shipping, resolved on improving the communication from Lake Ontario to Lake Huron, by this

short route, thereby avoiding the circuitous passage of Lake Erie. This street has been opened in a direct line, and the road made by His Excellency's corps. It is thirty miles from York to Holland's River, at the Pine fort called Gwillimbury, where the road ends. From thence you descend into Lake Simcoe, and having passed it there are two passages into Lake Huron, the one by the river Severn, which conveys the waters of Lake Simcoe into Gloucester bay, the other by a small portage, the continuation of Yonge Street, to a small lake, which also runs into Gloucester bay. This communication affords many advantages; merchandise from Montreal to Michiliminac may be sent this way at ten or fifteen pounds less expense per ton than by the route of the Grand or Ottawa Rivers, and the merchandise from New York to be sent up the North and Mohawk rivers for the North-west trade, finding its way into Lake Ontario at Oswego, the advantage will certainly be felt of transporting goods from Oswego to York, and from thence across Yonge and down the waters of Lake Simcoe into Lake Huron in preference to sending it by Lake Erie.

Settlement by the pioneers seems to have followed rapidly the opening of the various roads. The Surveyor General issued from his office 15th July, 1794, notice "that all persons who have obtained assignments for land on Dundas street, leading from the head of Burlington Bay, to the upper forks of the River Thames, and on Yonge Street leading from York to Lake Simcoe, that unless a dwelling house shall be built on every lot under certificate of location, and the same occupied within one year from the date of their respective assignments, such lots will be forfeited on the Roads." We learn also that the following conditions were required from the settlers. "They must within the term of two years, clear, fit for cultivation, and fence, ten acres of the lot obtained; build a house 16 by 20 feet of logs or frame, with a shingle roof; also cut down all the timber in front of, and the whole width of the lot, (20 chains 13; feet wide), 35 feet of which must be cleared smooth and left for half of the public road." It requires no effort to imagine the difficult obligations imposed upon the pioneers.

In 1794 a considerable addition was made to the population of York by the accession of sixty German families from the State of New York. These were introduced under the direction of Mr. Wm. Berzy, and located in Markham. These immigrants no doubt contributed something to the improvement of the new road. Further notice of these German settlers will be found in connection with the township of Markham.

On the 24th July, 1795, Mr. A. Jones was again engaged in carrying out the survey of Yonge street and York Township. Writing to the acting Surveyor Gen., D. W. Smith, Mr. Jones says, "His Excellency was pleased to direct me, previous to my surveying the township of York, to proceed on Yonge Street, to survey and open a cart road from the harbour at York to Lake Simcoe, which I am now busy at. Mr. Pearce is to be with me in a few days time with a detachment of about thirty of the Queen's Rangers, who are to assist in opening the road." On Monday the 4th Jan., 1796, he proceeded with the work from the foot of Yonge St., at a post he had previously planted near the lake. He again traversed the road and reached the Landing on Feb. 16th. "Wednesday, 17, returned back to a small lake at the 21st mile tree." "18, came down to five mile tree from York." "19th, came to the town of York." "20th, went to the Garrison, York, and waited on His Excellency the Governor, and informed him that Yonge street is opened from York to the Pine Fort Landing, Lake Simcoe. As there is no provision to be had at the place His Excellency was pleased to say that I must return to Newark and report to the Surveyor General and return with him in April next, when the Executive will sit, and that my attendance would be wanted." Thus we learn that the survey made by Jones in 1793 was little more than an opening through the woods; and that with a larger number of hands he in the winter of 1796 so cleared the way and levelled the road that it would be possible to travel the route with a vehicle. No doubt the frozen state of the ground enabled them to accomplish the work more easily. But it may be imagined that when the spring sun had removed the snow and frost along the way, the wayfarer would find but a hard road to travel. And thus it remained for many years, as the following report shows. It was by another surveyor of York, Mr. John Stegman, a German, who had been a Lieutenant in the Hessian Regiment of Lasseburg. He had served during the whole of the American rebellion, and at its close had obtained land in the new settlement, and had been appointed surveyor by Lord Dorchester. Dr. Scadding says descendants of his are to be found in the neighborhood of Pine Grove in Vaughan.

Mr. Stegman was directed by the Surveyor General in 1801 to examine and report upon the condition of Yonge street. His report says, "Agreeable to your instructions I have the honor to report as follows: That from the town of York to the three mile post on the Poplar Plains the road is cut, and that as yet the greater part of the said distance is not passable for any carriage whatever, on account of logs which lie in the street. From thence to Lot 1 on Yonge street the road is very difficult to pass, at any time, agreeable to the present situation in which the said part of the street is." It will be interesting to the present inhabitants of Yonge street to know the state in which Mr. Stegman found this thoroughfare at the beginning of the present century, and therefore further notes are given gleaned from his report. The settlers no doubt found it difficult to meet the requirements of Government. The occupant of lot No. 1, township of York had complied with the terms, "except a few logs in the street not burnt." Lot No. 1, east side was in the same condition; No. 2, west side "the street cut but not burnt." East side "some logs in the street not burnt, and in some places narrow." No. 3, west side "complied with except a few logs not burnt." The east side No. 3, complied with—the clearing not fenced, no house. No. 5 west side "complied with;" east non-compliance; No. 8 west side, "complied with, the street cut but not burnt;" east side complied with street cut but not burnt." Here Mr. Stegman says, "the street goes to the eastward of the line on account of the hilly ground. Just beyond this the street is narrow and fenced; No. 16, west side nothing done to the road, about 5 acres cut, not bared, no house thereon. East side complied with; No. 17, west side complied with, the underbrush in the street, but not burnt; No. 18, west side complied with; east side complied with, nothing done to the street, and a school-house, erected in the centre of the street." This the northern limit of York township.

In Vaughan No. 33, the clearing complied with, no house and nothing done to the street. East side, Markham, clearing is complied with, south part of the street cut but not burnt, north part of the street nothing done; No. 37, Vaughan, clearing complied with, but some large trees and some logs left in the street. Opposite, Markham, clearing complied with, the street cut and logs not burnt, a very bad place for the road and may be laid out better. Mr. King, No. 63 west side non-compliance. East side, Whitechurch, non-compliance, and similarly on to No. 88. Here in King, clearing complied with, not fenced, the street good, Whitechurch clearing

complied with, nothing done to the street. No. 93 King 4 acres cleared nothing done to the street. Whitechurch, 6 acres cleared, nothing done to the street. This is the end of King and Whitechurch also the end of the report, except the following statement, "This was the real situation of Yonge street when examined by me; and I am sorry to be under the necessity to add that the most ancient inhabitants of Yonge Street have been the most neglectful in clearing the street, and I have reason to believe that some trifle with the requisition of Government in respect of clearing the street." It is most probable that the "ancient inhabitants" were those Germans who had been brought in by Mr. Bercey, in 1794. When we remember the circumstances of the settlers we may believe that it was not from any desire to "trifle" with Government that the street was not improved in accordance with the terms of settlement but rather from inability to clear both farm and street. The daily wants of the growing family had to be met.

Mr. Stegmann, was much engaged in connection with the early surveys and in improving the roads, building bridges and so on, in the York township. The following letter affords some interesting information. The letter is directed to Act. Surveyor Gen. D. W. Smith, it is dated "Castle Frank Creek," that is the Creek by Castle Frank. "Sir—You were pleased to order me to inform you what time I should want a team for to get the timber for the bridge at Castle Frank Creek, for which I am ready, whenever you please to send the same. The party of Rangers now on this road begged of me to inform you that they have not received any pay for the work since they have been out with Mr. Jones."

The North-west Fur Company availed themselves of the route along Yonge street about the close of last century, and proposed to give to Government twelve thousand pounds toward making Yonge street a good road. Bouchette in 1815 says: "This route being of much importance, has of late been greatly improved by the North-west Company for the double purpose of shortening the distance to the Upper Lakes, and avoiding any contact with the American frontiers. Dr. Scadding, says, he has conversed with those who had seen the cavalcade of the North-west Company's boat mounted on wheels, on their way up Yonge street. The hill above Yorkville was a difficult ascent to overcome, and at the top were formerly to be seen the remains of a rude windlass or capstan, used in hauling up the boats at this point of the long portage from Lake Ontario to Lake Huron." The first waggon track ascended the hill a little west of the present road, through a narrow notch, over which long lay a fallen forest tree.

The Rev. Dr. Carroll, says, when he was a little boy he has seen this "day way" which left high banks on each side of it, from one to the other over which a log lay and was allowed to remain, for the roadway was sufficiently below it to admit of loaded waggons passing under. Tradition said that a poor mortal, weary of life, had passed one end of a rope of a suitable length around this log, which made a convenient foot bridge and the other around his neck, and jumped off, ending his life by the fall. Hence the name of the Gallow's Hill."

Yongestreet although laid out at first from the bay, did not become a thoroughfare south of Yorkville for many years. It was indeed impassable. The settlers entering York by Yonge street turned eastward at Yorkville and by an irregular track reached Parliament street. The open way between York and Yorkville was known as the "Road to Yonge Street." In 1800 steps were taken to make a passable road to Yonge street, by removing the trees and shrubs and laying a crossway. A public meeting was called in York, the Hon. Chief Justice Elmsly in the chair. The work was proceeded with by Mr. Eliphalet Hale. A creek had to be bridged, and a sand hill to be removed. It was many years before the road was made serviceable. In spring and autumn it long remained bad. A wooden tramway over a part where was quicksand was in use for a time. This was suggested by Mr. Rowland Burr, and chiefly promoted by Sheriff Jarvis. Mr. E. Hale, above referred to was High Constable, of the Home District, and when he died in 1807, he was "considered a public loss." In 1807, "a number of public-spirited persons collected on a Saturday to cut down the Hill at Frank's Creek," that is the Blue hill above Yorkville. "The Governor, when informed of it despatched a person with a present of Fifty Dollars to assist in improving Yonge Street road." John Vanzante, on the behalf of the public pathmasters, publicly thanked his Excellency, and others who contributed.

We will now again pass along Yonge street and present its appearance at a later date; yet long enough ago to be unknown to most of those now living.

Dr. Scadding, in conducting the reader of his book along Yonge street discourses very pleasantly of the early occupants of the successive lots, and of the more prominent features of the street. The space at our disposal does not allow us to follow so minutely and exactly in the rev. gentleman's footsteps, but we will refer to a few more interesting objects dwelt upon by him as we travel from Yorkville to Holland Landing. The ravine now known as Rosedale had banks extremely difficult to ascend and descend. This was long designated Blue Hill from the appearance of bluish clay on the summit of both hills. The first wagon track passed up and down two long wearisome and difficult slopes cut in the soil of the steep sides; and in the Fall and Spring they were well high impassable. The clay hereabouts has been utilized now for about a half a century to make brick which has been used in the construction of many buildings belonging to the city. The summit of the high hill further north was called Poplar Plains probably from the presence of a large number of poplar trees. Proceeding on, the road bore away from the direct line to the left, to avoid the ravine, to the dam of a saw mill belonging to Michael Whitmore, over this a road was formed by which a descent was made. The street now takes a straight course, and the long angle between the ancient and modern roads is occupied by Christ Church. After ascending and returning to the direct line of Yonge street the traveller came to the pottery works of John Walmsley with a one horse clay grinding machine diligently at work. "A tract of rough country was now reached difficult to clear and difficult to traverse with a vehicle. Here a genuine corduroy road was encountered over which wheels jolted deliberately. In the wet season portions of it, being afloat, would undulate under the weight of a passing load." The woods consisted of heavy pine, and having been felled in a confused manner, "the whole space from near Walmsley's beyond Eglinton, was and continued long a chaos of blackened timber." On the right appeared the "Glebe Inn" from being situated on one of the Glebe lots originally reserved in each of the townships for the Church. At the northern limit of the 3rd Concession, Yonge street deviates from the northerly course hitherto taken and runs slightly eastward. This marks the beginning of a later survey. By referring to the map it will be seen that the lots on the east side in the 3rd Concession lie east and west. In the 4th Concession, the lots on both sides lie north and south, and fronting on the concession roads. It

resulted that the space for Yonge street in the 4th Concession did not correspond with the line of the street in the 3rd Concession. This jog was rectified by taking off an angular piece of land from those lots on the east side, and adding a corresponding quantity of land to the lot on the opposite side. That portion of the township fronting South is known as the Bay Block. The first owner of this lot was the Baron de Hoen, who had been an officer of a Hessian Regiment which was disbanded after the American rebellion and independence. It was known as lot No. 1. The house consisted of two rooms, one above, and one below. It was to this house that several members of the Baldwin Family, and Miss Russell, sister of Peter Russell for some time the President took refuge when the Americans captured York in 1813. This lot afterward became the property of Mr. Henry Price at one time Commissioner of Crown Lands. We now approach the ground where in 1837 occurred the first events of the Canadian rebellion. Here was the famous Montgomery Inn which which was burnt by the loyal troops. It is a matter for congratulation that the bitterness engendered of strife as well as the causes of the strife are now only matters of history, and that harmony and good-will now prevail among the people generally, as well as those still living who took part in the fray. Passing through Eglinton we descend to an irregular ravine. Here once lived Mr. Jonathan Hale a man of much usefulness in his day in the promotion of public works. The property subsequently belonged to Jesse Ketchum. Opposite once lived the Murrays and Nanton in succession, who made marked improvements on the place. It was known as the Pilgrims Farm. James Beaty, afterward became the possessor and gave the name of Glen Grove. In the same ravine was built at an early date the "Lawrence Tannery," situated on the creek a tributary to the Don river. The bridge here was called Hawke's bridge from the name of the builder. The original patentees of lots six, seven, eight and nine on the west side of the street just here were four brothers Joseph, Duke, Hiram and John Kendrick, respectively, all "water dogs" on the Lake. Duke established a pot-ashery here in 1799. On our way we next descend into the valley where the west branch of the Don flows. Yonge street at first took a considerable turn eastward, and passed down and up the sides by sloping ways where the passing is described as having been indescribably bad. The ancient name of the crossing was Big Creek bridge and occasionally Heron's bridge, we now pass through Hogg's Hollow named after Mr. James Hogg. Mr. Hogg was the means of erecting at an early date a rough Church, (Scottish Kirk). He was of Scotch descent and was an ardent loyalist. He was described at his funeral by the Rev. Mr. Leach as one "faithful to his word and promise," and "few men had all the views of nature more clearly and strongly developed; and few men had a better sense of what is due to God." Mr. Hogg, was the proprietor of a flouring mill. He died in 1839. Mounting the hill by an irregular road we come to a place where was at one time a long low wooden building used as a place of worship of the Church of England built in 1816 with a burying ground attached. According to Gourlay this Chapel and the Friends' Meeting House near Markham, were the only two places of worship on Yonge street in 1817. Mr. James Strachan brother of the Bishop, says of this place, writing in 1819, "my brother had by his exertions and encouragements among the people, caused a Chapel to be built eight miles from York, where he officiates once a month, one of the young students under his care reading the service and a sermon on the intermediate Sundays. The dimensions of the Chapel are 60 by 30 feet; the pews are very decent, and what was much better, they were filled with an attentive congregation. In 1843, a durable brick Church, St. John's, was commenced near the old wooden structure. In 1835 under the direction of Mr. Lynn, engineer, an embankment was constructed over the valley by which Yonge Street was made in a direct line. The place is now known as the York Mills. North of the Hollow was Mr. Humberstone's place, who took a prominent part in the war of 1812, as an officer in the incorporated Militia. It is related that he, while carrying a number of prisoners to Kingston in a large bateau, was overpowered by them and taken captive to the States where he remained a prisoner until the close of the war. The next place was the well known Shephard's Inn.

Then we come to Willowdale where resided Mr. David Gibson, whose house was destroyed in 1837 by the Government troops. He was a land surveyor, and for a time representative in Parliament of North York. A road running eastward from Willowdale led to a famous camp meeting ground on the land of Jacob Cremer, where from time to time congregated from far and near, Indians as well as whites to engage in Divine Service. At the dividing line between York and Markham, was once seen the sign of the Green Bush, which Inn was subsequently removed to the vicinity of York town. On the left was to be seen the sign of the "Durweston Gate." Next we arrive at "Finch's" which from about 1856 down to a recent period was a popular hostelry and place of resort for excursion parties from Toronto, and of the half pay settlers from the Lake Simcoe region. The writer remembers to have visited Finchs some 25 years ago, when it enjoyed a large patronage from the public. Crews, some eight miles beyond was likewise a favorite resort. We have next a well known road leading to the German Mills, concerning which we speak in connection with the township of Markham. A mile or so further brings us to another branch of the Don with the usual deep ravine. Here mills and factories, were constructed at an early day. On the rise above we have the village of Thornhill. Here a number of English families settled in the earlier part of the present century. Near the brow of the hill was the home of Mr. Thorne, after whom the village took its name. Associated with Mr. Thorne, were Mr. Parsons, the Gappers, Mr. Paget, Rev. George Mortimer for years the pastor, and of whom it is recorded that he resembled in piety and usefulness the celebrated Fletcher. The previous incumbent of the English Church here, was the Rev. Isaac Fidler, a scholar and literati. He wrote a book entitled, "Observation on Professions, Literature, Manners and Emigration in the United States and Canada." Thornhill Church had also as an incumbent of the Church, the Rev. E. H. Dewar, also an author and scholar. The Rev. Dominic E. Blake, brother of Mr. Chancellor Blake, possessed of superior talents was likewise incumbent for a time, who died suddenly in 1859. It is recorded that in 1798, salmon ascended the Don to this point, where was "an excellent fishery." Yonge street, as we proceed towards Richmond Hill divides the townships of Markham and Vaughan. Among the early settlers here was Capt. Daniel Cozens. He was one of the U. E. Loyalists of New Jersey, and raised a company of soldiers to fight against the rebels, he suffered the loss of a large estate by confiscation after the American independence. But he received a grant of three thousand acres of land in Upper Canada, and his sons Samuel and Shivers as well received grants. Opposite Capt. Cozens, the first settler was Capt. Richard Lippincott, also a New Jersey Loyalist who took a prominent part in the events of the war. He also received three thousand acres of land in Upper Canada. He died

aged 81 in 1826, at the residence of his son-in-law in York, Col. George Taylor Denison. Beyond Richmond Hill which is situated on the front parts of the land first occupied by Cozens and Lippincott, a few miles in East and North Gwillimbury, "Traitor" Arnold, received a grant of five thousand acres. Along this portion of Yonge street in 1846, Mr. Casimir Stanislaus Gzowski, a native of Poland, was engaged in surveying and grading the road, and this portion of the street became "conspicuous for the superior excellence of its finish." Hereabouts, was the residence of Col. Moodie, with a flag staff in front of his house, who after escaping the perils of the Peninsular war, and the war of 1812 lost his life, when attempting to pass the Montgomery House, by the rebels in 1837. In the third decade of the present century, two Englishmen settled hereabouts Mr. Larratt Smith and Mr. Francis Boyd. The latter was "one of the first to import from England improved breeds of Cat le." Proceeding on our way, the land becomes broken as we ascend the Oak Ridges. On the right, down in a dell, is situated "Bond Lake" or "Pond," which is possessed of considerable beauty. The original owner was Mr. William Bond, who in 1800, established a nursery garden in York, containing the most valuable fruits. Here was Bond's Lake Inn, after the pattern of English hosteries. Drynoch, next comes into view on the left, in a prominent situation. It was the abode of Capt. Martin McLeod, from the Isle of Skye. "He was one of eight brothers who all held commissions in the army, and retired in 1832. Next we have a region which was originally settled by a number of French Loyalists who escaped from France at the time of the French revolution, to England. Being offered grants of land in Canada, a number availed themselves of the generosity of the British Crown. By some means they found their way to this locality and became the proprietors of contiguous lots. A map of 1798, shows a range of nine lots on each side of Yonge street in the Ridges, and marked French Loyalist, by order of his Honor (President Russell)." They appear to have arrived here about 1798-9. The land here is by no means of first quality, and these military refugees, all of the noblesse order, soon found themselves in a state far from happy in the wilderness. Many of them soon left the country leaving a few acres of cleared land.

"The officers styled Comte and Vicomte de Chalus derived their title from the veritable domain and castle of Chalus in Normandy, associated in the minds of young readers of English History with the death of Richard (oeur de Lion, Jean Louis de Chalus, whose name appears on numbers 54 and 55 Markham and in other lots, was a Major-General in the Royal Army of Brittany. At the balls given by the Governor, and others at York, the jewels of Madame la Comtesse created a great sensation wholly surpassing everything of the kind that hitherto had been seen by the ladies of Upper Canada. Amboise de Farcy, of No. 58, in Vaughan and No. 60 in Markham, had also the rank of General. Augustin Bolton of No. 48 in Markham and No. 61 in Vaughan, was a Lieutenant Colonel," (Scadding). The names of the French Refugee settlers will be found among the original land owners of Markham, Vaughan, King and Whitechurch.

Lake Willcocks on the right, named after Col. Wm. Willcocks, who was a pioneer, and in 1802 was Judge of the Home District Court, presents itself to view. Other lakelets are found through the Oak Ridges which add beauty to the uneven land. On the summit of the Ridge, and not far apart it is said, the Humber, and the east branch of the Holland rivers take their rise. In fact the stream flowing out of lake Willcocks is the beginning of the Humber. The marsh from which the Holland river arises is on the left side of the street. The source of the Rouge is a short distance to the east, and on an early map there is marked here, "proposes canal," to connect the Rouge and the Holland rivers. The summit of the Ridges is 755 feet above Lake Ontario, 415 above Lake Huron. The street now begins to descend toward Lake Simcoe, and from the brow there is spread out a broad landscape of wooded land. We have before us a locality rich not only in agricultural wealth but in historic interest, where the Huron Indians, and other tribes were wont to congregate and the Jesuit Missionaries 200 years ago were engaged in their work of converting the aboriginal inhabitants. For particulars of these long sustained efforts the reader is referred to Parkman's work, "The Jesuits in North America." As we descend we pass through the well known Quaker settlement, which was founded at the beginning of the century under Timothy Rogers, and Jacob Lundy. (See Whitechurch.)

For many years Yonge street really terminated at the road which turns to the right to Newmarket. Along this road settlement more rapidly took place. To the left on Yonge street we see the place where was the home of the Hon. Jacob Amelius Irving, an historic name in connection with Canada, the British army and Gen. Wolfe. The place was at one time known as Bounshaw. We have caught from time to time glimpses of the Holland river, and we now come to the Upper Landing, or formerly Upper Canoe Land, the point to which the canoes came in the days of portaging, and which has witnessed many scenes of embarking and disembarking of the aborigines and early European voyagers, sometimes on the war path, sometimes on hunting excursions, or with the rich furs. A mile and a half further down is the Lower Landing. Here the river is about 25 yards wide. At this place was at one time "The Pine Fort" called Gwillimbury. The buildings here at Holland Landing were for depositing military and naval stores and presents for Indians, a central spot between York and Penetanguishene. The first steamboat to sail on Lake Simcoe was built at the Upper Landing, by Capt. McKenzie, in 1832, it was named the Simcoe. With much difficulty it was hauled down to the deeper water. The cost was estimated at £2000. During the war of 1812 Naval and military stores passed along Yonge street and were shipped at the Landing for Penetanguishene. A large anchor was hauled from Toronto by 24 teams of oxen, intended for a gunboat at Penetanguishene. But it went no further than the Landing, and may now be seen at the Park at Holland Landing.

We have now terminated our journey along Yonge street, but at a later period than we have been referring to, a continuation of the street was surveyed and laid out opposite the Landing on Kempenfeldt Bay, east of Barrie, on a line with the street, direct to Penetanguishene, a distance of thirty miles. In 1847 this road was thoroughly cleared out and made passable. Its width was sixty feet. Penetanguishene was then a military and naval station, and this direct route from Toronto was desirable. This being abolished and the Northern Railway having been constructed to Collingwood, this portion of Yonge street is no longer of use, further than for local travel.

TOWNSHIP OF YORK.

THE PENINSULA.—The Island in Lake Ontario in front of the township of York was until about twelve years ago connected with the main land forming a peninsula, and making a safe harbour for shipping. On

Hollands map of 1791, it is marked Presqu'isle, Toronto. In the early days of York, the marsh, between Toronto Bay and Ashbridge Bay, so named after the pioneer John Ashbridge, was the home of innumerable water fowl, while the waters supplied in abundance excellent variety of fish. The long strip of sandy beach was from the first a place of resort, on account of its pleasant and healthy air. D. W. Smith's *Gazetteer* states that "the long beach, or peninsula which affords a most delightful ride, is considered so healthy by the Indians that they resort to it whenever indisposed." It became the fashionable course for horse riding, and racing, and steps were taken to construct a road from the Village over the lesser and greater Don to the Lake shore. In 1806, a floating bridge was built, and the *Gazette* expressed that "it is requested that no person will draw sand, or pass with loaded waggons or carts over the new Bridge or Float at the opening of the Don, as this source of communication was intended to accommodate the inhabitants of the town in a walk, or ride to the Island."

A map of York, dated 1811, we notice in the Crown Lands Department, has this route marked with the words "Road from York to the Lighthouse." Races were periodically held here on a course laid out east of the present lower gap. In 1812, the bridges were removed for the purpose of protection against the enemy. At the same time a trench was cut across from the Don to the Bay near the shore. This cut was subsequently enlarged by the action of the water flowing from the Don, and became the permanent mouth of the stream. The peninsula was after this cut off from the inhabitants until 1822, much to their regret. At this time a public subscription was opened to build two bridges on the river Don, to lead to the peninsula, £108 5s. being subscribed. The timber was presented by Peter Robinson, Esq., M. P. P. The estimated cost was £325. But for want of funds the bridges were not completed. In 1834, however, Sir John Colborne was the means of securing from the military chest an adequate sum to complete the works, and they were finished in 1835, and on the 22nd of August they were formally handed over to the authorities of the Town. The occasion was attended with great demonstration on the part of the military and city corporation.

These bridges however were of short duration, being carried away by the flood a few years later.

The peninsula was at one time well stocked with goats, having been placed there originally by order of Gov. Hunter, for the sake of the milk which was reputedly very valuable for health.

These goats were dispersed during the war of 1812.

The naming of the western extremity of Gibraltar Point indicates the intention of erecting fortifications to protect the mouth of the harbour and a block house was situated here in 1812.

THE LIGHTHOUSE.—In 1803 an Act was passed for the establishment of lighthouses. These were specified, of which one was on Gibraltar Point, but it was not proceeded with, as we have in the *Gazette* of March 16, 1808, the announcement that "it is with pleasure we inform the public that the dangers to vessels navigating Lake Ontario will in a great measure be avoided by the erection of a lighthouse on Gibraltar Point, which is to be immediately completed in compliance with an address of the House of Assembly to the Lieut-Governor." Probably something had previously been done towards its construction. In 1806, an Act was passed providing for a fund for the erection and maintenance of a lighthouse. Dr. Scadding says, "we have understood that a lighthouse was begun at the point of York peninsula before the close of the last century, and that the Mohawk was employed in bringing over stone for the purpose from Queenston; and that Mr. John Thompson, still living in 1873 was engaged in the actual erection of the building."

THE TOWNSHIP OF YORK generally, was settled subsequently to the town. As a general thing, villages are planted and grow into towns and cities, as they are fed by the increasing population of the country, but in York this was reversed, the settlement of the land by farmers followed the establishment of the town. Hence it was that we presented to the reader a sketch of the foundation of the capital before dwelling upon the township, but in so doing we have had occasion to speak repeatedly of the latter, and to give many particulars regarding its settlement and advancement.

The situation of the township of York is unequalled in the Province, fronting upon the Lake with three bays, Ashbridge on the east, Humber on the west and Toronto bay in the middle. On east side is Scarborough, on the west Etobicoke, separated by the Humber, and on the north Vaughan and Markham. We have already spoken of its original survey; but since the writing of that portion of this sketch we have obtained a small work entitled a Directory of the County of Peel, by John Lynch which supplies some interesting facts relative to the first Surveyors which we think should here be inserted. By this we learn that the first regular surveyor at Niagara was Mr. Phillip Fry, who came with instruction from the Surveyor-General, as Deputy Surveyor, at the request of Major Campbell, Commandant at Niagara during the summer of 1786. On the 18th Sept., 1787, Mr. Fry writes from Niagara to Dep. Surveyor Collins, enclosing "plans and reports of Surveys of township number one and the others of two, together with the first concession of the latter lately surveyed." He says—"The person who had been employed in the surveying business previous to me had made few and very erroneous surveys, having only laid out a few lots for particular people." He asks for "two very able assistants, provided you shall think proper to augment my pay, to ten shillings sterling per day." The letter is signed "P. R. Fry, Deputy Surveyor for Niagara and Detroit." On the 15th Jan., 1788, "James Watson, Capt. Commanding Upper Posts," writes to Mr. Fry. "In consequence of a discretionary power given me by the Commander-in-Chief, and upon your representation that Messrs. Jessie Pawling and Augustus Jones are properly qualified to assist in surveying the townships of the settlements under your inspection, I do appoint them to that service from this date at the salary of two shillings and sixpence sterling per day." Mr. Fry "left the country on leave of absence and did not return, and Mr. Augustus Jones was appointed in his place in the latter end of the year 1789."

As we have seen, Mr. Jones had laid out the township of York, which was the eleventh township from the River Trent. It first received the name of Dublin, and finally York. On account of the Humber forming the boundary on the west side, the 5th Concession is incomplete, and the 6th and 7th contain but few lots. Other surveyors besides Jones were engaged from time to time in surveying the township; Aitkin in 1795, Iredell in 1794 and Wilmott in 1810 and 1829 and Sherwood in 1811.

ORIGINAL LAND OWNERS OF YORK TOWNSHIP.

In addition to the grantees of the Town of York, the following received patents in the Township.—Broken Front, Lot 1, John Baskerville Gregg 1813; 2, David Ramsay, 1797; 3, J. B. Bouchette 1797; 4, Patrick Barn, 1796; 5, William Cooper, 1798; 6, Samuel Cozens, 1796; 7, Paul Wilcott, 1796; 8, John Ashbridge, 1796; 9, Jonathan Ashbridge 1796; 9, Parker

Mills 1796; 10, John Matthews, 1797; 11, Benjamin Mosley, 1796; 12, Christopher Robinson, 1797; 13, Frederick Brown 1804; 14, John Cox, 1796; 15, John Scadding, 1796; 31 & 32, James Brock, 1812; 33-4-5 Lieut. Col. David Shank, 1799; 36 Geo. P. Ridout, 1844; Gore between town of York and Government Park, E. W. Smith, 1798; Park Lots, 1, 2, Hon. W. D. Powell, 1819; 3, John Small, 1801; 4, John White, 1797; 5 D. W. Smith, 1798; 6, William Jarvis, 1811; 7, Hon. John McGill, 1798; 8, George Playter, 1796; 9, James Macaulay, 1797; 10, D. W. Smith, 1797; 13, Robt. J. D. Gray, 1798; 14, Peter Russell, 1798; Letter H, John Macdonell, 1811; I, William Halton, 1811; First Concession Lot 1, John Balsregg, 1813; 2, D. Ramsay, 1797; 3, J. B. Bouchette, 1797; 4, P. Barn, 1796; 5, William Cooper, 1798; 6, Samuel Cozens, 1796; 7, P. Wilcott 1796; 8, & 9, John Ashbridge, 1796; 10, John Matthews, 1796; 11, Benjamin Mosley, 1796; 12, C. Robinson, 1797; 13, F. Brown, 1804; 14, J. Cox, 1796; 15, J. Scadding, 1796; 16, Hon. W. D. Powell, et al 1819; 17, Hon. Alex. Grant, 1798; 18, Edward Baker Littlehales, 1801; 19, Lieut. Col. D. Shank, 1798; 20, J. Macdonell, 1810; 21, Major D. Shank, 1797; 22, Samuel Smith, 1806; 23, Hon. Eneas Shaw, 1799; 24, J. B. Bouchette, 1802; 25, David Barns, 1798; 26, Alex. McNab, 1798; 26, William Chewett, 1798; 27, William Allan, 1798; 27, Thomas Ridout, 1798; 28, Angus Macdonnell, 1801; 29, Benjamin Hallowell, 1798; 30, James Block, 1812; 31, Alex. Burns, 1798; 32, Alex. Macdonell, 1798; 33, Major D. Shank, 1797; 35, Elizabeth Johnson, 1798; 38, John Ellis, 1843. Marsh in front of Lot 37 John D. Howard, 1839. Second Con. Lot 1, D'Arcy Boulton, 1839; 3, Geo. Playter, 1796; 4, Edward Gahan, 1801; 4, Wm. M. Corrie, 1845; 5, Joseph Barker, 1796; 5, Alex. Macdonell 1807; 7, Samuel Sinclair, 1820; 8, John White, 1798; 10, Robt. Henderson, 1801; 11, James Playter, 1796; 12, Eli Playter 1796; 13, Isaiah Aaron Skinner, 1798; 14, Hon. John Elmsley, 1798; 15, John Hewett, 1797; 16, Hon. Henry Allcock, 1803; 17, John Playter, 1796; 18, John Coon, 1796; 19, Abraham Lawraway, 1797; Eleonora D. White, 1798; 20, George Playter, 1796; 21, D. W. Smith, 1798; 22, John Elmsley, 1798; 23, Peter Russell, 1796; 24, William Wilcox, sr., 1798; 25, Lieut. John McGill, 1798; 26, Major D. Shank, 1797; 27, S. Smith, 1806; 28, Hon. Eneas Shaw, 1799; 29, J. B. Bouchette, 1797; 30, William Halton, 1810; 31, Robt. Richardson, 1803; 32, Lieut. James Givins, 1798; 33, Hon. John McGill, 1809; 35, John Lewis deHoven, 1815; 38, John Denis, 1801; 39, Simeon Devins, 1812. Fifth Concession Lot 1, D'Arcy Boulton, 1840; Lot 2, & 3, Wm. Demont, 1796; Lot 4, Lewis Vail, 1797; Lot 5, George Porter, 1801; Lot 6, Philip DeGrassie, 1833; Lot 7, D. W. Smith, 1796; Lot 7, P. DeGrassie, 1797; Lot 8, Mary Ridout, 1797; Lot 9, John Ross, 1798; Lot 10, John Peter Cary, 1843; Lot 11, Wm. Smith, 1796, Lot 12, & 13, Alex. Macdonell, 1798; Lot 15, James Clark, 1801; Lot 16, Rev'd Thomas Radish, 1797; Lot 18; Stilwell Wilson, 1802; Lot 19, Marian White, 1798; Lot 20, D. W. Smith, 1799; Lot 21, Fred Baron de Hoven, 1802; Lot 22, & 23, Hon. Peter Russell, 1796 Lot 24, Anne Powell, 1798; 25, Hon. W. D. Powell, 1798; 26, & 30, William Halton, 1798; 27, Major D. Shank, 1806; 28, Eneas Shaw, 1799; 32, J. B. Bouchette, 1797; 35, John McGill, 1809; 34, Augustus Jones, 1802; 37, George Cruikshank, 1798; 40 Benjamin Conlon, 1843; Robt. Catherwood, 1844. On the Humber adjoining 2nd, & 3rd Con. Lots 1, 2 & 3, John Lawrence, 1797; 4 & 5, John Wilson, 1798; 6, Isaac Devens, 1796; 7 & 8, Abraham Devens, 1796; 9 & 10, Levi Devens, 1796. East of Yonge St. 7th Con. Lot 1, William Allan, 1803; 2, Reuben Clarks, 1798; 3, Richard Gamble, 1803; 4, William Weeks, 1803; 5, Wm. Cooper, 1797; 6, Bernard Cary, 1798; 7, Daniel De Hart, sr. 1817; 9 John, Wilson, jr., 1797; 10, Thomas Mercer, 1806; 11, Margaret Crookan, 1803; 12, William Davis, 1801; 13, Alex. Gray, jr. 1802; 14, Elsie Willard, 1802; 15, John Everson, 1803; also Lot 15, Stilwell Wilson, Thomas Stoyell & Thomas Humberstone, 1828; 16, Patrick Bern, 1805; 17, John McBride, 1830; 18, Jacob Gower, 1801; 19, Lawrence Johnson, 1800; 20, Nicholas Johnson, 1800; 21, Thomas Johnson, 1800; 22, Capt. R. Lippincott, 1797; 23 Isaac Hollingshead, 1802; 24, Hugh Cameron, 1801; 25, Richard Lawrence, 1808. 2nd Con. Lot 1, Wm. Allan, 1797; 2, Thomas Ridout Johnson, 1802; 3, Thomas Burke, 1840; 4, Isabella Chewet, 1799; 5, James Fitz Gibbon, 1817; 5, John Bluett, 1819; 6, John Macintosh, 1803; 8 Francis Brock, 1804; 10, Alex. Montgomery, 1803; 11, John Harris, 1836; 13, Andrew Macgashan, 1804; 15, Joseph Provost 1802; 16, Mary Garner, 1802; 18, David Smith, 1802; 19, John Coon, 1803; 20, John Sarbone, 1838; 21, Wm. Hunter, 1819; 22, R. Lippincott, 1797; 24, James Macaulay, 1802; 25, Elizabeth Tuck, 1799. 3rd Con. Lot 1, Wm. Hill, jr. 1846; 2, Anne Powell, 1798; 4, Rev'd Edmund Burke, 1799; 5, Alex. Melone, 1837; 6, Ann Holingshead, 1801; 7, John Eakins jr., 1811; Elijah Huson, 1801; 9, James Gray, 1825; 10, Michael Harris, 1807; 11, Wm. Bishop, 1844; 12, James Lymburner, 1807; 14, Henry Mulholland, 1806; 16, Wm. Armstrong, 1806; 18, D'Arcy Boulton, jr., 1806; 20, Robt. Lymburner, 1807; 22, James Johnson, 1816; 23, John Hopper, 1841; 24, Hon. Henry Allcock, 1807; 25, W. Baldwin, 1803. 4th Con. Lot 2, Wm. Proudfoot, 1839; 4, Henry Hovell, 1846; 4, Abram Martin, 1840; 6, Chas. D. Macguire, 1841; 8, George Hatochem, 1842; 10, John Gray, 1839; 12, John Watson, 1833; 12, Wm. Silvester, 1837; 14, John Henry, 1842; 18, James O'Neil, 1833; Wm. Long, 1837; 22, Wm. Edwards 1843; 24, David Burns, 1832. West of Yonge Street. 1st Con. Lot 1, Fred Baron de Hoen, 1815; James Ruggles, 1798; 3, John McDougall, 1803; 4 Jonathan Bell, 1811; 5 Nathaniel Huson, 1801; 6, Joseph Kendrick, 1800; 7, Duke William Kendrick 1800; 8, Hiram Kendrick, 1802; 9, John Kendrick, 1805; 10, Chas. Field, 1803; 11, Joseph Philips, 1807; 12, Wm. Marsh, 1803; 13, Christopher Heron, 1802; 14, Thomas Humberstone, 1812; 15, Thomas Bell, 1801; 16, James Johnson, 1797; 17, Joseph Shepherd, 1805; 18, John Wilson, 1805; 19, Abraham Johnson, 1800; 20, Joseph Johnson, 1800; 21, John Cowan, 1803; 22, Capt. Daniel Cozens, 1798; 23, Paul Willcott, 1805; 24, Malcolm Wright, 1807; 25, Jonathan Scott, 1802. 2nd Con. Lot 1 & 2, David Burns, 1798; 3, James Ross, 1842; 4 & 5, John McBride, 1796; 6, Christopher Widmer, 1817; 7, Wm. Youman, 1796; 8, Capt. Wm. Graham, 1798; 9, John Carlile, 1836; 9, Samuel Armstrong, 1838; 10, Robert Franklin, 1793; 10, Jacob Nathawdt, 1811; 11, Ephraim H. Payne, 1797; 13, Robt. G. D. Gray, 1798; 14, Robt. Stevenson, 1844; 15, Eliza Small, 1822; 15, Jacob Nathawdt, 1801; 16, Elizabeth Russell, 1796; 18 & 19, Wm. Jarvis, 1798; 20, Wm. Wright, 1832; 20-1-2-4-5, Wm. Jarvis, 1798. 3rd Con. Lot 1, Jacob Anderson, 1833; 3, Cyrus Cook, 1799; 4 John McBride, 1796; 6, Mathias Saunders 1803; 7, John McLang, 1813; Robt. Clark, 1845; 8 Thomas Goulding 1833; 9 & 10 Eleonora Dorothy White, 1798; 12, Christopher Samuel White, 1798; 13, Wm. Jackson, 1840; 13, Wm. Moyne, 1841; 14, Chas. S. White, 1798; 14, Wm. S. White, 1798; 16, Elizabeth Russell, 1796; 17, Wm. G. White, 1798; 18, Isaac Horet 1839; 19, Augustus Boiten, 1807; 21, Stephen Jarvis, 1811; 21, Cornelius Thompson, 1811; 22, Jacob Troyer, 1845; 22, George Jackson, 1840; 23, Thomas Ruggles, 1807; 25 George Wickle, 1802. 4th Con. Lot 1, J. Dennis, 1801; 2, Jacob Philips, 1796; 3, 4 & 5, Joshua

Chamberlain, jr., 1793; 4, Zekel Chamberlain, 1793; 5, Benjamin Davis, 1801; 6, George Taylor Dennison 1810; 7 & 8, R. J. D. Gray, 1799; 9, James Kerr, 1845; 10, Wm. D. Powell, jr., 1797; 11, Thomas Kirgan, 1798; 13, David Burns, 1798; 14, Edward Charlton, 1844; 15, Thomas Barns Goff; 16, Edward Charlton, 1839; 17, Henry Jackson, 1809; 19, Thomas Gray, 1803; 20, Samuel Snider, 1840; 21, Alex. Gray, sr., 1801; 23, Thomas Hamilton, 1807; 24, Peter E. Kaisor, 1846; 25, Jacob Fisher jr., et al 1803. 5th Con. Lot 1, John Dennis, 1801; 2, Jacob Philips, 1796; 3, Joshua Chamberlain, 1798; 4, Tyckel Chamberlain. 1798-1805; Elias Anderson, 1796; 6, and 7, Benjamin Davis, 1796-8-9-10-11-12, John Graves, Simcoe, 1796; 13, John Attwells Small, 1801; 14 & 15, John Small, 1801; 16, John Rogers, 1845; 17, 18, Alex. Burns, 1798; 20, Robt. Macdonell 1811; 21, John Crosson, 1831; 22, Jacob Winter, 1802; 22, Alex. Gray sr., 1801; 23, James Fitz Gibbon, 1817; 24, Michael Dye, 1811; 25, Jacob Kizer. 6th Con. Lots 8-2-10-11-12, J. G. Simcoe, 1796; 13, John Attwell Small, 1801; 14, 15, John Small, 1801; 16, John Crawford, 1810; 17, 18, Alex. Burns, 1798; 21, Jacob Winter, 1802; 20, Joshua G. Cozens, 1808; 24, John Lewis de Hoven 1815; 25, Robt. Macdonell, 1811. 7th Con. Lot 22, Wm. Chewett, 1805; 24 James Roch, 1802; 25, Dorathy Arnold, 1807. A good many lots in the different Concessions were patented to Kings College in 1829. A certain number likewise to the Rectory of St. James, in 36, also to the Canada Company in 1829. It is a matter for congratulation that an examination of the names of persons now in possession of the lots, shows so large a number of the same name as those who originally settled in the township. At the same time it must be remembered that not a few of the pioneers of York are not mentioned among the original grantees, having come in some years later and purchased from the patentees.

One of the most conspicuous names in the foregoing list is that of Playter. Capt. Geo. Playter, a native of Suffolk, England, had lived many years in Philadelphia prior to the rebellion of 1776. He married a member of the Society of Friends, and became himself a member of that denomination. But according to his own sprightly account which he delighted in after days to give, when disaffection appealed to arms, his patriotism could not be restrained by the peaceful tenets of the Society, so he stripped off the distinctive garb, saying, "Lie there, Quaker," and arrayed himself in soldiers apparel. Mr. Playter was actively engaged during the war, and rendered efficient service to the Crown. At the close of the war he came to Canada, and for a number of years lived at Kingston. Soon after the founding of York as the Capital, he came to the place, and was on very intimate terms with Gov. Simcoe. He and his sons were granted extensive tracts of land, and contributed much to the development of the town and country. The Captain visited England some time after, and had his services recognized by receiving an annuity from the British Government. Capt. Playter's home was immediately north of Castle Frank, and here he passed his days in peace and plenty, enjoying the highest esteem of the community. He set apart on his estate, over looking the valley of the Don, a plot for a burial ground, and here he lies buried with other members of his family. The old gentlemen was known for giving "precise attention to his dress and person, and was an excellent type in costume and style of the ordinary unofficial citizen of a past generation." He is still remembered by a few as wearing a "three-cornered hat, silver knee buckles, broad toed shoes, and large buckles always carefully arranged with white stockings and a gold-headed cane of a length unusual now." His son George filled the post for some time of Deputy Sheriff of the Home District; Eli, another son, represented the North Riding of York in Parliament for some time. For the foregoing facts we are indebted to Dr. Scadding, and Dr. Playter, great grandson of Capt. George Playter.

THE TOWNSHIP OF YORK, MUNICIPAL RECORDS.

The Records of the township of York, in the office of the clerk, Arthur Lawrence Willson, Esq., M.A., Toronto University, refer back to the year 1836; and we have to express our thanks to Mr. Willson for his kindness and urbanity in aiding us to glean the following facts. The first record is as follows: "Monday, 4th Jan. 1836. In pursuance of the statute passed in the fifth year of the reign of His Majesty, Wm. IV. The inhabitants of the township of York met at the house of Wm. Cummers (formerly a tavern, and at which the former town meetings were held) when they unanimously appointed James Hervey Price, Esq., their chairman, who in consequence of the unfitness of the house for a public meeting adjourned to the tavern of Mr. John Marsh on Yonge street when the chairman read over the Act, and the meeting proceeded by ballot to choose the township officers. David Gibson, Esq., was chosen secretary to the meeting." John Cummer, Elisha Pease, Joseph McMullin and John Willson, 4th., were all nominated for Township Clerk and the ballot being taken the chairman declared John Willson 4th to be duly elected Township Clerk for the year 1836. The ballot for Councillors was then taken when the chairman declared that James Davis, Daniel McDougall and Wm. Donaldson, were duly elected for the year. Upon a ballot being taken for Assessor, the chairman declared James McMullin duly elected. The following officers were then appointed by a show of hands; for Collector, Abraham Johnson; Pathmasters, John Montgomery, Wm. Kendrick, E. Pease, Robert Erwin, Wm. Morse, John Beates, John James, Alex. Wallace, Wm. Denison, Jacob Kertz, Richard Smith, Joseph Gale, Robert Harding, Henry Crosson, J. Griffith, John Duncan, Stephen Brundage, Thomas Denison, George Cooper, Henry Phillips, Joseph Helliwell, George Thorn, Wm. Milne, Alex. McCormick, James Cunningham, John Sanburn, Richard Willson, John Harris, David Cummer, Archibald Wright, Edward Brock, Henry Devenish, Richard Herron, Christopher Williams, Henry Earl, John Thompson, and Jonathan Ashbridge. Pound keepers, Thomas Maginn, Joseph Holby, John Montgomery, and Mr. Finch. The Treasurer's account at the close of the year 1836, shows:—To cash received of the District Treasurer for wild lands assessment. £3 11s. 9d. Cash received fines and costs £7 11s. 4d. To cash received in commutation of statute labor, £1 12s. 6d. Credit, cash paid Constable for services £3 10s. 10d. Blank book for use of the Township 9s. 6d; for paper, &c., 5s. Balance unexpended £8 10s. 2d. Signed, John Willmot, 4th.

In 1837 the township meeting met on the 2nd Jan., at Jno. Montgomery's; David Gibson, chairman. Elisha Pease was elected Town Clerk; Conrad Gran, Jacob Snider, Wm. Donaldson, Commissioners; Abraham Johnson, Assessor; Wm. James, Collector. 1st Jan., 1838, "Freeholders and householders met at Montgomery's tavern; Franklin Jackson, chairman; adjourned to Anderson's tavern, York Mills." Town Clerk elected, Wm. Hamilton; Peter Lawrence, Commissioner; Rob. Harding, Alex. Montgomery, Wm. Marsh, Assessors; Wm. Evans, Collector. 1839, Jan. 1. Meeting at Jno. Anderson's tavern; John Willson 4th, elected Town Clerk. From this time Mr. John Willson continued

to hold the office until his death in 1866. In 1842 we find the following School Commissioners elected, Rev. James Harris, Bartholomew Bull, Jas. Lever, Clark Bridgeland, Charles Maginn, Jno. Andrew, Jas. Davis. In 1845, three Wardens were appointed:—Geo. Bond, Wm. Mulholland, and Wm. James.

The "Minutes of Municipal Council," Jan. 2nd, 1850, the Council met at Wood's Tavern, on Yonge street, pursuant to the provisions of the Statute. The Town Clerk took the chair. The following answered their names and took their seats as Township Councillors, elected by the township of York:—That is to say, Franklin Lockes, Esq., Wm. James, Esq., John —, Esq., Wm. Mulholland, Esq., and James Duncan. Mr. James moved, seconded by Mr. Mulholland, that Franklin Lockes, be the Township Reeve for the present year.—Carried. Mr. Mulholland, seconded by Mr. Lockes that Wm. James be the Deputy Reeve Carried.—Jno. Wilson 4th, T. C. "The Councillors for 1851, were Franklin Lockes, Reeve, Wm. James, Dep. Reeve, Wm. Mulholland, Wm. Lea, Wm. Tyrrell. For 1852 Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Mulholland, Dep. Reeve, Wm. Tyrrell, Jos. McMullin, Councillors. For 1853, Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Mulholland, Dep. Reeve, Wm. Lea, Wm. Tyrrell, Jos. McMullin, Councillors. 1854, Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Tyrrell, Dep. Reeve, Lea, Jos. McMullin, Thos. Clark, Councillors. 1855, Wm. James, Reeve Wm. Tyrrell, Dep. Reeve, Jos. McMullin, Thos. Clark, Wm. Lea, Councillors. 1856, Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Tyrrell, Dep. Reeve, Wm. Lea, Jos. McMullin, Jno. Henry, Councillors. 1857, Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Tyrrell, Dep. Reeve, Jos. McMullin, Wm. Lea, David Boyle. 1858, Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Tyrrell, Dep. Reeve, Wm. Lea, David Boyle, and Bart. Bull, Councillors. 1859, Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Tyrrell, Deputy Reeve, D. Boyle, B. Bull, jr., Wm. Morse, Councillors. 1860, Wm. James, Reeve, Wm. Tyrrell, Dep. Reeve, D. Boyle, B. Bull, jr., Wm. M. Morse, Councillors. 1861, Wm. Tyrrell, Reeve Wm. M. Morse, Deputy Reeve, B. Bull, jr., Joseph Shephard, Chas. Maginn. 1862, Wm. Tyrrell, Reeve, Bart. Bull, jr., Dep. Reeve, C. D. Maginn, E. Playter, J. Shephard, Councillors. 1863, the same as last, year. 1864, Wm. Tyrrell, B. Bull, Reeve, E. Playter, Wm. Maginn, Wm. James. 1865, B. Burt, jr., Reeve, E. Playter, Dep. Reeve, Wm. Mulholland, Wm. James, Wm. Tyrrell. 1866, B. Bull, Esq., Reeve, E. Playter, Wm. Mulholland. Jos. A. Duncan, Wm. Tyrrell. In July of this year, the Town Clerk, John Willson 4th died, and his son John Lawrence Willson, the present incumbent, was appointed in his place. The Council at a subsequent meeting passed a resolution of condolence, and expressed their appreciation of the services of the deceased, for the past sixteen years. The resolution affirms that he "has faithfully served this municipality in the office of Clerk and Treasurer." "This Council can with pleasure bear testimony to indefatigable zeal and integrity, this together with his kind and gentlemanly manner has endeared his memory to every member of this Council, and we feel confident we may say to the inhabitants of this township in general."

The officers for 1867, were B. Bull Reeve, R. E. Playter, Wm. Jackes, Wm. Tyrrell, Deputy Reeve, J. A. Duncan, Coun. For 1868, B. Bull, Wm. Tyrrell, Wm. Jackes, R. E. Playter, Geo. Jackes. 1869, B. Bull, Wm. Tyrrell, Wm. Jackes, R. E. Playter, Geo. Jackes. 1870, Bull, Tyrrell, Playter, Wm. Jackes, Henry Duncan. 1871, J. P. Bull, Henry Duncan, Joseph Watson, Elijah Armstrong. 1872, Wm. Tyrrell, Joseph Watson, J. P. Bull, E. Watson. 1873, Tyrrell, Duncan, J. P. Bull, J. Watson, Geo. Leslie. The same were re-elected until 1877, when the name of Isaac Dollery appears instead of J. P. Bull.

The members of the Council, and officers for 1878, are Wm. Tyrrell of Weston Reeve, Wm. Jackes, Eglington, 1st Dep. Reeve, Chas. L. Denison, Brockton, 2nd Dep. Reeve, Wm. Clark, Downsview, 3rd Dep. Reeve, Wm. Goulding, Newton Brook, 4th Dep. Reeve. Arthur L. Wilson, M. A., Eglington, clerk and treasurer; Peter S. Gibson, P.L.S., Willowdale, township engineer; William Brown, Eglington, assessor and collector for West York; Nicholas Sheppard, Eglington, assessor and collector for East York. Mr. A. L. Willson has remained in office since the death of his father, 1868.

Mr. A. L. Willson represents the fifth generation who have lived on Yonge street. John Willson, Sen. the 1st., and his wife Rebecca Thixton, were born in Surrey, England. They came to America in 1752, and settled in New Jersey. In 1776, Jno. Willson Sen., and Jno. Willson 2nd., (so given instead of Junr.) his eldest son were engaged as loyal soldiers against the rebels, the father as captain, the son as lieutenant. At the close of the war, all their property having been confiscated, they went to New Brunswick, Jno. Willson 2nd, taking with him as wife, Sarah Sackman, a native of Wales. There they remained until Gov. Simcoe came to Upper Canada, when they removed to U. Canada, bringing with them twenty-four other families of U. E. Loyalists. They first lived in the Niagara District, but finally settled on Yonge street. The name has frequently come before us in connection with early York. Capt. Willson had sons, John 2nd, Stillwell, William and Jonathan, Jno. Willson 2nd, eldest son, was Jno. Willson 3rd, and his eldest son was John 4th, and Mr A. L. Willson is the son of John 4th. The family are related by marriage to the Cummer's, Fisher's, Lawrance's, Snider's, Mitchell, Ashbridge and other pioneers of York.

The township Council possess a hall for municipal purposes, a commodious brick building at Eglington, close by the spot where stood the Montgomery tavern, which was burned in 1837. Eglington is about four miles from Toronto on Yonge street, and has about 600 inhabitants: but to the traveller there does not appear at this point on the street, a greater number of dwellings than line the road all the way from Yorkville. Eglington has one church, belonging to the Canada Methodist denomination. The name of the village is taken from the Earl of Eglington of Ayrshire.

One of the first settlers of this locality was Martin Snider. The family is of German descent, and was among the U. E. Loyalists, who took refuge in Nova Scotia, during the American Rebellion. "Several members of the family subsequently came to Canada, and Martin settled on Yonge street. Among those who volunteered to accompany Gen. Brock to Detroit was Jacob, son of Martin Snider.

Another of the pioneers, who lived by Eglington, was the late Mr. C. Moore, a native of Ireland, born 1793. He emigrated to the United States with his wife and infant son, (the present James Moore, of the township of Etobicoke) and at first engaged in business at Newburg, on the banks of the Hudson. The prevailing feeling against Great Britain made his life uncomfortable, and he being devoted to the Crown, soon yielded to the wishes of relatives in Canada to join them. Mr. Moore experienced the difference between the conduct of the Americans and the British in a striking manner as soon as he put foot on Canadian soil, at Queenston. They were hailed with joy by the officers and soldiers stationed there, and they would not allow him to put his hand

to remove his effects, but did it themselves, being so delighted to see a British subject coming from the States. Mr. Moore was induced to purchase land in the township of Nissouri, which was then a wilderness. They had to procure a guide to pilot them a distance of twenty miles. He experienced all the trials and privations of pioneer life for a period of three years. His eldest daughter was born here, being the first white child in the township of Nissouri. He then removed to Yonge street, at the present site of Eglington, where he had purchased a farm. Here he continued to live until his death, which took place on the 13th Jan., 1867. Mr. Moore was a devoted adherent of the Church of England. He was an officer in the North York Regiment of Militia in his time. Mr. Moore had five sons and three daughters, four of which, two sons and two daughters still survive. The late Mr. Charles Moore, of Toronto, was his second son. Another son was Dr. Arthur Moore, who graduated at the Toronto University, about twenty-seven years ago, and then proceeded to Edinburgh, where he also took a degree in Medicine. He spent some time in Europe engaged in study; and was about to return to Canada, when a fatal illness seized him. He was a young man of great promise, and much esteemed by all who knew him. The whole family have always enjoyed the esteem of the public.

YORKVILLE.

Yorkville is an important part of the county of York, possessing a population of about 5,000 souls. It is incorporated as a village since 1853; but from its close proximity to Toronto, its importance is overshadowed by the city. The 2nd con. road or Bloor street, on either side of Yonge street separates the village from the city. Yorkville was founded by Mr. Bloor who, says, "Dr. Scadding, with Mr. Sheriff Jarvis, entered successfully into a speculation on land, projecting and laying out the village of Yorkville, which narrowly escaped being Bloorville. That name was proposed, as also was Rosedale, after the Sheriff's homestead; and likewise Cumberland. Yorkville was, however, chosen, and in part preserves the original York applied once to Toronto. Mr. Bloor was an Englishman, and came to York at an early date. He kept for many years the Farmers' Arms Inn, near the market square, and then retired with some means with which he embarked in the enterprise mentioned. "He also established the brewery now known as Severn's Brewery. Although his name was not given to the place, it is perpetuated by the name of Bloor street, the concession road, which was for a time called St. Paul's road, also Sydenham road. The Town Hall, erected in 1860, is a striking object to the passer by, being of a Flemish style of architecture. "The shield of arms sculptured in stone and set in the wall above the circular window in the front gable presents the following charges arranged quarterly: a Beer-barrel, with an S below; a Brick mould, with an A below; an Anvil with a W. below; and a Jack plane, with a D. below. In the centre, in a shield of pretence, is a Sheep's head, with an H. below. These symbols commemorate the first five Councillors or Aldermen of Yorkville at the time of its incorporation in 1853, and their trades or callings; the initials being those respectively of the surnames of Mr. John Severn, Mr. Thomas Atkinson, Mr. James Wallis, Mr. James Dobson, and Mr. Peter Hutty; over the whole, as a crest, is the Canadian Beaver."

Mr. Archer, the Town Clerk, obligingly placed at our perusal the records of the Municipality since the incorporation of the village; and we learn that—"At the first meeting of the Council held at the School house of the Village of Yorkville, R. A. Parker was requested to act as Clerk. The members present were Messrs. Peter Hutty, Jas. Dobson, Thos. Atkinson, Jno. Severn. Moved by Mr. Hutty, seconded by Mr. Severn, that Mr. Dobson be the Reeve for the present year,—carried. I therefore certify that Mr. Jas. Dobson is elected Reeve for the incorporated Village of Yorkville, and has taken the oaths of office and qualification this 17th day of Jan., 1853; Witness my hand and seal R. A. Parker." At a meeting of the Council held at Mr. Severn's office Jan. 20 Mr. Severn was appointed Treasurer. On the 22nd Jan., the Council appointed Mr. O. Foster, Assessor, Collector, and Clerk for the year. At a meeting on the 28th this was rescinded, but it was moved and Carried in succession that Mr. Foster be appointed Clerk, and Assessor, and on the 3rd Feb. he was appointed Collector. For his services Mr. Foster was to receive £20, currency. It was resolved that Mr. Dobson's offer of a room for the use of the Council be accepted, and he was to receive £3. per year including firewood. Mr. Pickering was appointed Constable for the village for the year. Feb. 10th, "meeting held in the Council Room, Mr. Hutchison and Bradshaw, two of the Inspectors elected by the Village, at this meeting, took and subscribed to the oaths of office, according to law. Messrs. Hutty and Severn were appointed a Committee to enquire after an eligible site for a Market. On the 17th Feb. the first By-law was passed regulating Taverns and other Houses of entertainment, but at the next meeting 22nd Feb. it was resolved to suspend the By-Law for the year, because impracticable.

1854—at a meeting of the Council elect-present Mr. Hutty, Mr. Wallis, Mr. Dobson, Mr. Sleigh, and Mr. Atkinson—Mr. Jno. Sleigh was elected Reeve, and Mr. O. Foster Clerk, with a salary of £25, and Assessor, £7, 10d. Mr. Chas. Wheelock, and Mr. Jno. Copp, were to be asked to act as Auditors for the past year, and to receive 10s. for their services.

1855. The Council consisted of Thos. Atkinson, Reeve; Sleigh Wallis, P. Hutty, Jno. Wickson. 1856, Geo. Bostwick, Reeve; Hutty, Cornelius, Jas. Philbrick, Wickson, J. Dobson. 1857, Dobson, Reeve; Wallis, Bostwick, Atkinson, Hutty. Oswald Foster who had been Clerk since 1853, was succeeded by C. J. Wheelock, who also resigned, and was followed by Jno. Matt. 1858, Hutty, Reeve; Atkinson, Demmery, Bronton, Dobson. 1859, Hutty, Reeve; Robinson, Severn, W. Rowell, Atkinson. 1860, Rowell, Reeve; Hutty, Severn, Robinson, Demmery. 1861—The Council took possession of the Council Room, in the new Town Hall, Rowell, Reeve; Hutty, Severn, Bostwick, Foster. 1862, Rowell, Reeve; Dr. Berryman, Moore, Hutty, Severn. 1863, Dr. Berryman, Reeve; Hutty, Severn, Moore, Alcorn. 1864, Berryman, Reeve; G. C. Moore, Hutty, Bostwick, Joseph Gibson. 1865, Gibson, Reeve; Berryman, Bostwick, Hutty, Moore. 1866, Berryman, Reeve; Brooks, W. Gossage, Hutty, Gibson, Wm. Brommel, Wm. H. Archer, T. C. 1867, Berryman, Reeve; Severn, Gossage, Thos. Nightingale, Gibson. 1868, Severn, Reeve; Moore, Nightingale, Gibson, Wm. Lynn Smart, Mr. Wickson succeeds Mr. Archer, as T. C., who is followed by Alex. Murphy, the following year. 1869, Severn, Reeve; Gibson, Moore, Wm. H. Archer, C. J. Philbrick. 1870, Severn, Reeve; Philbrick, Wickson, Moore, Archer; but the last named did not take his seat. 1871, Nightingale, Reeve; Wm. Booth, Smart, Wm. McMittin, Wickson. 1872, Severn, Reeve; Wickson, Gibson, Philbrick, Joseph Dain; Mr. Murphy, is succeeded by M. C. Pridham, as T. C. 1873, Severn, Reeve, S. Wickson, Deputy Reeve; Gibson Dain, Thos. Ferguson Blackwood. 1874, Severn, Reeve; Gibson, Blackwood, Walter Walker; Mr. Archer resumes the position of T. C. 1875, Severn,

Reeve; S. Wickson, Deputy Reeve; Walker, Edward Crown, Leonard Pears. 1876, Severn, Reeve; Wickson, Deputy Reeve; Walker Crown, Dain. 1877, Severn Reeve; Joseph Dain, was elected Deputy Reeve; but having died 10th Jan. was succeeded by Joseph Gibson, Walker, Crown, Bernard Saunders.

The members of the Council for the Corporation of Yorkville 1878; Samuel Wickson, Reeve, Joseph Gibson, 1st Deputy Reeve, B. Saunders, 2nd Deputy Reeve, Ed. Y. Crown, Wm. Booth, Councillors. The officers are Wm. H. Archer, Clerk and Treasurer; Chas. H. Bishop, Assessor; Andrew Smiley, Collector; Geo. Bowling, Village Commissioner, Joseph Johnson, Chief Constable; John Robinson, Fire Warden; Auditors, R. McCausland, H. Hancock; Medical Health Officer, Jno. Parsons, M. D.

In Yorkville, are two public Schools, one of which is a Model School. The Churches in Yorkville are, two Canada Methodists, one Primitive Methodist, one Church of England, one Baptist, one Congregational. Severn Brewery, long time established, employs from 15 to 20 men. Staunton & Co., have a paper manufactory and employ about 20 hands. The corporation has recently constructed water works at a cost of \$65,000 to \$75,000.

Rosedale is a suburban village contiguous to Yorkville and Toronto built upon the estate of the former Sheriff Jarvis. Along the valley from Yonge Street to the Don may be seen rare bits of scenery not common around Toronto. Within the last few years pleasant and elegant villas have been formed here, and we have one of the most charming suburbs of the city.

DAVISVILLE—Northward on Yonge Street 3½ miles from Toronto is the Village of Davisville. On the way we pass the Roman Catholic Cemetery situated on the left, and then the Mount Pleasant Cemetery which has been open for the burial of the dead but a year or two. It is pleasantly situated, and will in time become attractive from its natural scenery and cultivated foliage and flowers.

North of Eglington, and six miles from Toronto is the Village of York Mills of which we have spoken elsewhere. Another mile northward on Yonge street is situated the Village of Lansing; and a mile or more further on is Newton Brook.

DON MOUNT—LESLIEVILLE—NORWAY—COLEMAN—On the Kingston Road, separated from Toronto by the Don is the village of Don Mount, which is rapidly increasing in population. A mile eastward is Leslieville so called after Mr. Geo. Leslie, who was an early settler; and who is known from his extensive nursery of fruit trees. Hereabouts are extensive brick works. Four miles from Toronto on the Kingston Road is Norway close by which is a race course, Woodbine Riding and Driving Park. North of this at the 2nd Con. road is the Coleman Post Office.

DONCASTER—TODMORDEN—L'AMAROUX.—In the 2nd Con. east of the Don on the Mill Road is Doncaster Post Office, and a short distance on the road, running north east, is Todmorden, a name given by Mr. Eastwood an early settler here, after a place in Yorkshire. A road leading from Todmorden across the river Don and over the valley to the 2nd Con. road east of Yonge street, is particularly beautiful. The devious and narrow way, up and down hills, is highly interesting and enables the traveller to see the choicest bit of scenery to be found in the neighbourhood of Toronto. L'Amaroux is a considerable village in the northern part of the township on the border of Scarboro. It is 6 miles from the Scarboro G. T. Station and 9 miles from Toronto.

PARKDALE—BROCKTON—SEATON.—Immediately west of the Exhibition grounds from which it is separated by Dufferin St., is the community known as Parkdale. It stretches from the Lake shore north to Queen Street, and is one of the most pleasant suburbs of the city. It has almost sprung into existence within a year or two, is rapidly growing and will soon become thickly inhabited and covered with charming villas. Brockton is directly north of Parkdale; but its centre is on the Dundas street, and it extends north to Bloor Street. Brockton is an older Village and is ¾ miles from the City Hall. With this locality are associated the names of Col. Givins, and Col. Denison. Seaton village is located north of Bloor St. about midway between Brockton and Yorkville. Bloor street is becoming rapidly settled all along from Yorkville to Brockton, and before many years will present one of the finest avenues in the city extending from the Don to High Park on the Humber.

LAMBTON—CARLETON—DAVENPORT.—Following Dundas street in its north-western course to the point where it crosses the Humber, we come to the village of Lambton, which is partly in Etobicoke. This is 7½ miles from Toronto. The population numbers some 350. The Credit Valley Railroad passes by the village. Carleton is situated on the front of the 3rd Con. about 1½ mile from Lambton, and 6 miles from Toronto by G. T. R. R. Davenport is ¼ mile east of Carleton on the Northern R. R. From Davenport to Yorkville runs the Davenport road, noted for its irregular course, and affording a view of the slightly home-steads and grounds which are ranged along the summit and slopes of the beautiful hill on the north. Davenport was originally the home of Col. Wells of the 45th Regiment, who had constructed a picturesque mansion. On the hill overlooking the plain and presenting a view of the Lake and Bay, was also the Spadina House, founded by Dr. Baldwin. It was his intention to "establish in Canada a family, whose head was to be maintained in opulence by the proceeds of an entailed estate." His mansion was placed on the brow of the hill and from it a broad avenue was opened down to the shore of the Bay, a distance of about 3 miles and 120 feet in width. The present Brock street and Spadina avenue are the result of Dr. Baldwin's conception. The long vista is destroyed by the erection of Knox College midway in its length, which although an ornament in itself can hardly reconcile one to the loss of what might have been the finest avenue in the city. The term Spadina is derived from an Indian word signifying a sudden rise of ground. Dr. Baldwin's designs were more notably frustrated by the action of his own son the Hon. Robt. Baldwin. "It is singular that the first inheritor of the newly-established patrimony should have been the statesman whose lot it was to carry through the Legislature of Canada, the abolition of the rights of primogeniture. The son grasped more readily than the father what the genius of the North American continent will endure, and what it will not." (Scadding.)

FAIRBANK—WESTON.—Fairbank is one Concession north of Davenport, a short distance from the Northern R. R. on the road leading to Vaughan. Weston is partly in Etobicoke on the Humber, on the line of the G. T. R. It is a large village with an increasing population, the present number being about 1700.

Among the leading residents of, Weston, is Wm. Tyrrell, the present Reeve of York, and whose portrait appears on the page with the map of that township. He was born near Dublin, in the County of Kildare, in 1816, and came to Toronto in 1836, and has since that time built up for himself a position and a name in the county as one of its foremost citizens. Since 1851 Mr. Tyrrell has always been an active member of the York Township Council as either Councillor or Reeve.

NUMBER OF VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF YORK FOR 1878.

Owners	2067
Tenants	855
Householders	164
Farmers Sons	122
Income Tax	2
Total	3210.

Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of York for 1877.

Total receipts from Taxes, Fines, Grants, and Interest....	\$24,474.58.
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	25,843.54.
Excess of Disbursements.....	\$1,368.96.

WM. TYRRELL, Reeve.	JOHN F. TAYLOR,	} AUDITORS.
	W. W. CUMMER,	

TAXES LEVIED FOR 1877.

County Tax.....	5724.78.
Township, School and Special Tax.....	13040.06.
Dog Tax.....	859.00.
Non-resident Taxes.....	102.08.
Total Taxes.....	\$19,725.92.

TOWNSHIP OF SCARBORO.

Scarboro consists of nine Concessions, but five of them are incomplete. On account of the course of the lake shore which is angular to the Concession lines, the first four are deficient. They are numbered respectively A. B. C. D. Con. A. has only three and a half lots, Con B. has eight and a half, C. has twelve and a half, D. has the full number, but the five next to the side line bounding Pickering are encroached upon by the lake. And many of the lots in A. B. & C. are encroached in a similar manner. North of Con. D, the Cons. are numbered I, II, III, IV, V. The last however, contains only one third of the full width of the others. This doubtless arose from the fact that Markham township was surveyed and the Southern boundary fixed before the rear Cons. of Scarboro were surveyed. The 5th Con. is sometimes called the Gore. Scarboro township was first marked out at the front by Surveyor Augustus Jones in 1791. It does not appear that any side roads or lines were marked in the original survey, or that any posts were planted in rear of any of the lots. Not unlikely it was originally intended that the township should include some portion of the eastern part of York township, making the townships the same in breadth. But when the capital of York was founded it was deemed advisable to increase the area of York township eastward, at the expense of Scarboro and hence the disproportion in the size of the two.

The original name of the township given by Mr. Jones was "Glasgow." Its boundaries are on the east, the township of Pickering originally named "Edinburgh," on the west, York, on the north Markham, and on the south, Lake Ontario. Mr. Jones continued his survey of the township during some part of the year 1793, 4 & 5. In 1833, Surveyor Galbraith, was engaged in placing the Concessions lines. The eastern boundary of the township was established in 1854 by Prov. Land Surveyor John Shier, under Government instructions. The western boundary was established in 1850, under Government instructions by Surveyors David Gibson and Wm. Smith. The northern boundary was established by the Boundary Line Commissioners.

In 1864, F. F. Passmore, P. L. S. presented a report to the Township Council, to accompany a map of a re-survey of the township. From this we have gathered some of the foregoing facts. He says, there are 126 side roads, exclusive of the six exterior roads between Pickering and Scarboro, and the nine exterior roads between York and Scarboro. Many of the roads are well opened up and travelled, others again will in all probability never be travelled throughout." This was the case in Con. A. & B. It is a noticeable feature of the township that the side roads of the different Concessions do not correspond. This is due to original surveys having been made at different periods and by different persons; and the original land marks having been obliterated. The result has been some litigation and at times discontent by the land owners, and in 1864 the Council obtained the legal opinion of Mr. M. C. Cameron on certain points relating to the location of the roads.

1 SETTLERS—GRANTEES.—The following early grantees of the Township we have taken from the "Domesday Book" preserved in the Crown Lands Department, commencing with Con. A. and proceeding to the rear Con. V.

Broken front, Con. A. Sarah Ashbridge, 1799; Capt. Wm. Mayne 1796; John White, 1796; Canada Company 1831; King's College, 1828. Con. B. Submission Galloway, 1802; Parshall Terry, junr. 1801. David Fleming, 1799; Parker Mills, 1802; Jonathan Ashbridge, 1799; John Adair 1799; Sarah Ashbridge, 1799; Capt. Wm. Mayne, 1796; Andrew Templeton 1799; John White, 1796; Robert Tait, 1802; Henry Webster, 1810. Concession C. King's College, 1828; Donald McLean, 1805; Wm. Oster Hout, 1799; Nicholas Smith, 1799; Submission Galloway, 1802; P. Terry jr. 1801; David Fleming, 1799; Thomas Hewitt, 1799; Elis Dennis, 1801; John Adair, 1799; Elis Thompson, 1799; John Weaver, 1799; Andrew Templeton, 1799; Thomas Cornwell, 1809; Robert Tait, 1802; John Haacke, 1817; Wm. Devenish, 1803. Concession D. Joseph Ketchum, 1798; John Richardson, 1806; Chas. Rice, 1802; Samuel Heron, 1801; James Hoghtelling, 1797; John McGill, 1797; Elis Oster Hunt, 1805; Robert Isaac Dey Gray, 1801; 400 acres, Alexander McDonnell, 1806; Donald McLean, 1805; James Elliot, 1799; David Robertson 1799; Samuel Heron, 1799; Hon. John Richardson, 1827; Martin Buckner, 1799; Thomas Cornwell, 1809; Dorcas Kendrick, 1798; Ephraim Payen, 1799; Pelva Cole 1807; James Molloy, 1798. 1st Concession, Capt Wm. Demont, 1798. 2nd Concession, Nipporah Robuck, 1802; Wm. Eadus et al 1797; James Ketchum. 1778; Owen McGrath, 1798; Elizabeth Davis, 1798; Susannah Harris, 1799; John Segar, 1799; George Irvin 1797; Amos Meritt, 1797; John Markly, 1799; Richard Hatt, 1799; Andrew Johnson, 1799; Jacob Fisher, 1802; Valentine Fisher, 1803; Archibald Thompson, 1799; John Henry Kahman, 1799; Eliphlet Hale, 1799; Capt. Wm. Demont 1798; 600 acres; Eliza Small, 1799; John Robert

Small, 1801; Wm. Eadus, 1799; James Whitton, 1798; Elizabeth Vanderlip, 1798; Sarah Macdougall, 1799; John Macdougall, 1804; 1600 acres, Nicholas Macdougall 1802. 3rd Concession. Margaret Ryckman, 1799; Richard Flock, 1799; Capt Wm. Demont, 1798, 600 acres. Fourth Concession, Eliza Small, 1797, 600 acres; John Robert Small, 1810; James Thompson, 1798; John White, 1796; John Hewitt, 1797; Eva Bradt, 1799; Elizabeth Thompson, 1798; Lieut. Miles McDonnell, 1799; John Smith, 1801; Barnabas Eddy 1799; Azariah Lundy, 1799; David Thompson, 1802; Andrew Thompson, 1802; Archibald Thompson, 1799; Andrew Kenedy, 1817; Capt. Wm. Demont, 1798, 800 acres. Fifth Concession, Peter Ressor, 1812; Benjamin Wm. Eaton, 1812; Andrew Mercer, 1811, who also received patent for nine other lots; George Kuck, 1812; Helen Fenwick, 1812; James Osburn, jr. 1811; John Kennedy, sr. 1812; John Wintermute, 1801. The Canada Co. and Kings College received patents in the different concessions.

The names of the original land owners are in many cases perpetuated in the township, although some are no longer found in the list of present inhabitants. But in addition to the grantees above given, a goodly number came into the township at a date sufficiently early to entitle them to a place among the pioneers; and who have by their industry, skill and excellent character aided in making the township one of the most prosperous, not only in the County of York, but in the Province. Among these may be mentioned as instances, George Morgan, father of John Morgan, a leading farmer in the township, who settled here in 1820, and who died only last year, leaving a large family in prosperous circumstances, and characterized by the sterling qualities which belonged to the father.

Likewise we may give the name of John B. McLean who settled in the township in 1832. After fulfilling his mission as a pioneer, he too has lately passed away leaving three sons to emulate his industry, and act their part in the community.

The name of Wm. Mason may also be recorded in this connection. He came to the township in 1838, and made for himself not only a desirable home; but amply provided for a large family. He was for many years a leading resident, and highly esteemed. He died a few years ago, having lived to see six of his sons settled on farms among the finest in the County.

W. J. Mitchell, of Armadale, is another worthy settler who entered the township in 1842. A native of Derry, Ireland, where his forefathers settled in 1688. Mr. Mitchell, has held the Commissions of the Queens Bench, and Justice of the Peace; and for many years has been the only active Magistrate in the Northern part of the township. He has taken an active part in all matters affecting the interest of the country.

MUNICIPAL RECORDS.

The earliest Records of the township in possession of the township Clerk date back to 1848. It opens with a "Declaration" that "We the undersigned do, sincerely promise and swear that we will faithfully and diligently perform the duties for which we are appointed for the current year:—Joseph Pilkey, Isaac C. ———, George Snider, (now Sheriff of Simcoe, we believe), Adam Walton, (now dead), Wm. Kennedy, (dead) Wm. Fawcett, sr. (dead), Wm. Mason, (dead), Thomas Kennedy, Wedley Robinson, Daniel Kennedy, (dead), Geo. Galway, (dead), Jno. Palmer, Jno. Warren, Isaac Christie (dead), Timothy Devenish, Jno. Richardson, (dead), Alex. Wilson, Geo. Stephenson, (dead, whose son became the Reeve), Abraham Stoner, (dead, one of the first settlers), Wm. Young, Wm. Richardson, Wm. Westeny, Wm. Anthony, (dead), James Saw, (dead), Isaac Stoner, (dead), Thomas Adams, (dead), Thos. Booth, (dead), King Parkes, (dead), Jas. Peters, (an old settler on the river Rouge), Wm. Chamberlain, Marshal Macklin, (an old and intelligent settler), Thos. Adams, jr. Isaac Secor, (dead), Wm. A. Thompson, (dead, an old settler on the front), Jas. A. Thompson, James Johnson (dead), John Sherburn, (dead), Jas. Spring, Thos. Brown, Jno. Wilson, (an old settler on Highland Creek), Jno. Law, Wm. Nelson, (dead), Robert Jackson (dead), Andrew Potter, Thos. Demma, (dead).

Town meeting held at Thomas Dowsell, tavern, 3rd Jan. 1848: Jno. P. Wheeler, in the Chair, elected Archibald Glendinning, as Councillor, and Wm. Chamberlain, as Clerk, Assessor and Collector. The "first meeting of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Scarboro," was held at Dowsell Tavern 21st Jan. 1850. Present, Mr. Peter Secor, Town Reeve, Jas. P. Wheeler. Dep. Reeve, Wm. Halliwell, Christopher Thompson, Ed. Connell, representing the 5 wards. They subscribed to the oath of qualification before Wm. Clarke, J. P. Thos. C. Brown was appointed Collector, J. H. Smith, Treasurer. The following year J. P. Wheeler, was elected Town Reeve, Thos. Brown, Deputy Reeve, and Stephen Closson, Clerk. In 1854, John Torrence, became Reeve, Wm. Clark, Dep. Reeve, S. Closson, Clerk, Assessor and Collector. In 1855, J. P. Wheeler, was elected Reeve, Wm. Clark, Dep. Reeve, and Stephen Closson again Clerk. Mr. Wheeler, continued to fill the office of Reeve until 1865, when D. G. Stephenson, was elected. In 1866, Thomas Brown, was elected, in 1867, Geo. Chester was elected and was re-elected yearly until 1871 when J. P. Wheeler, was again elected. He remained in the place until 1876, and then Mr. Geo. Chester was again the choice, 1877, Donald G. Stephenson, was elected, and still holds the office of Reeve. The office of Township Clerk was filled in 1856, by Jas. Moyle, which he continued to occupy until 1865, when John Crawford was appointed, who has continued to worthily fill the place up to the present time. Wm. Clarke was re-elected Deputy Reeve in 1856, and continued in that office until 1859, when John Crawford was elected, and remained in office until 1865. George Chester was elected this year, and re-elected in 1866. In 1867 Donald G. Stephenson was elected Deputy Reeve, and re-elected yearly until 1874 when he was succeeded by Simon Miller, and in turn succeeded Mr. Miller in 1875. He was again re-elected in 76, and James Chester was elected 2nd Deputy Reeve. In 1877, Wm. Tredway was elected 1st Deputy Reeve, and Jas. Chester, 2nd Deputy again.

The Members of the Corporation for the Year, 1878, are as follow:—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., Reeve, Scarboro Junction; Wm. Tredway, Esq., 1st Deputy Reeve, Highland Creek; Jas. Chester, Esq., 2nd Deputy Reeve, Woburn; John Richardson, Esq., Councillor, Scarboro; George Morgan, Esq., Councillor, Lamareaux. Township Officers.—John Crawford, Clerk & Treasurer, Malvern; Andrew Young, jr., Auditor, Ellesmere; Archibald Glendinning, Auditor, Ellesmere; John P. Wheeler, jr., Assessor, Danforth; John T. Brown, Ret'g Officer, E. D. No. 1, Danforth; John Elliot, Ret'g Officer, E.D. No. 2, Highland Creek; John Crawford, Ret'g Officer, E.D. No. 3, Malvern; Robert Crawford, Ret'g Officer, E.D. No. 4, Agincourt; Wm. Clark, jr. Ret'g Officer, E. D. No. 5, Agincourt; Robert Crawford, Collector, Agincourt.

Following the Kingston Road through the Township of Scarboro from the Village of Norway the traveller has on his right the shore of the

lake, along which is to be seen scenery more or less picturesque. The Heights of Scarboro are noted for their romantic beauty. The shore from Toronto along the front of the township is fast becoming the permanent or summer residence of gentlemen who belong to the city. Private enterprise has not only exhibited itself in the erection of pleasant villas with delightful grounds overlooking the lake, but in the establishment of an extensive place of recreation for summer purposes, Victoria Park, about seven miles from Toronto, which has, during the recent season, been the resort of thousands, who find in the agreeable trip and the cool air, and charming views of the place, a most excellent means of recreation. Not only Torontonians, but excursionists from a distance have there held numerous pic-nics, entertainments and demonstrations.

The Kingston road is not sufficiently near to enable the passer to observe the attractions we have referred to.

SCARBORO—HIGHLAND CREEK—PORT UNION.—Scarboro village is about midway from York Township to Pickering, and 10 miles from Toronto. It is a pleasant rural spot well-known to the citizens of Toronto, having a population of about 300.

Highland Creek is a village also on the Kingston Road, with a population of about 600. It is 14 miles from Toronto, and 2½ miles from Port Union, a small village situated to the south on the border of the township, where is a station of the Grand Trunk Railway.

WOBURN — MALVERN — ARMADALE — ELLESMERE — AGINCOURT.—Taking the Danforth Road, of which we have elsewhere spoken, we pass in a north-east direction across the country until we reach Woburn, about a mile north of Scarboro, when we turn north-ward toward Markham. The Danforth Road, a short distance eastward, turns southward to Highland Creek village. Going northward, we pass well-cultivated farms, as indeed, they are everywhere in the township; pass Malvern, in the 5th Con., and then reach Armadale, on the borders of Markham township. West of this, on the T. and N. Railway, are the pleasant names of Ellesmere and Agincourt.

NUMBER OF VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF SCARBORO FOR 1878.

Owners	506
Tenants	241
Farmers Sons	56
Householders	147
Income Tax	4
Total	954.

Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of Scarboro for 1877.

Total receipts from Taxes, License and Miscellaneous items	\$18,069.55.
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	14,084.02.

Excess of Disbursements.....	\$1,014.47.
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ARCHIBALD GLENDINNING, } AUDITORS.
ANDREW YOUNG, JR. }

TAXES FOR 1877.

County Tax.....	2112.78.
Township.....	3516.98.
General School, and Statute labor tax.....	695.50.
School Tax, (Trustees assessment).....	4919.73.
Dog Tax.....	428.00.
Non-Resident Tax.....	34.56.
Total Taxes.....	\$11,707.55.

TOWNSHIP OF MARKHAM.

This township was partially surveyed in 1794, being the third township in the county to be marked out. The surveyor made Yonge street the base, and all the Concessions of which there are ten, front on Yonge street. Each Concession contains 35 lots, and the township is almost a square, only that the eastern line does not run parallel with Yonge and the intermediate Concession roads. The consequence is that in the last Con. the lots in the northern portions are deficient in depth; while the south ten lots have an unusual depth.

The first settlement of Markham took place in 1794, probably before the Surveyor had entered upon his work. Simcoe was impressed with the belief that many U. E. Loyalists still remained in the United States, and adopted measures to induce them to come to Canada by the offer of land and facilities for settlement. Among those who responded to his inviting and who were the first to do so were a number of Germans. They were recently from Hamburg and hardly U. E. Loyalists, but they preferred the advantages offered to them in Canada to those at their disposal in the Genesee valley on the southern shore of Lake Ontario. The party of Germans consisted of 64 families, and they came in under the guidance of one Wm. Berczy. He indeed seems to have been chiefly instrumental in bringing them in. They had recently come to what was called the Putney settlement, probably led by Berczy himself. He was a man of more than ordinary energy, and had cut a wagon road all the way from Philadelphia to Lake Ontario for pioneers. These German settlers having arrived at York, cut a way along the line marked out for Yonge St. to the land now within the southern part of Markham. These pioneers of the township had a hard struggle; for York was not then even a Village, and they had to seek for the necessities of life, and for clearing the land and for raising provisions, centres of civilization beyond the lake. Some articles could be procured at Niagara, but for others they had to go the State of New York. At first their only way out and in, was by York and the track along Yonge St. But they found that the stream along which they had settled afforded them an easier way to travel. At first it was thought to be a branch of the Don; but the stream which they designated Big River, upon being followed led not to York, but to the lake east of Scarboro heights. This was the river Rouge or Nen. And they were accustomed to pass in and out by this route for a number of years. As a general thing, when they first entered they carried with them most of the requisites for settlement, for their leader Berczy was a thoughtful man. They started on their adventurous journey well prepared nevertheless, to overcome any difficulties which might be met on the way. It is recorded that "they brought with them vehicles and horses and families and some household stuff. The body of their waggons was made of close boards and the most clever had the ingenuity to caulk the seams, and so by shifting off the body from the carriage it serves to transport the wheels and the family" over streams and small bodies of water. They found the road from York sufficiently difficult to pass; and they lowered their waggons down the steep by ropes passed round the stems of saplings, and then hauled them up the ascent on the opposite side in a similar way." Mr. Berczy, negotiated with the Canadian Government with respect to the granting of lands to them; and it would seem that generous offers had been made to them, which subsequently were not

fulfilled, as expected by Mr. Berczy. Probably the removal of Simcoe interfered with the full fruition of their hopes. And we find that in 1799, Mr. Berczy withdrew, having failed to induce the Government to reconsider its decision in regard to the patents demanded by him for his settlers and retired to Montreal. But Mr. Berczy's dissatisfaction did not deprive the County of the hardy German settlers, who remained to lay the foundation of the township and to build up a prosperous community. No doubt the enterprise of Berczy, had much to do with this prosperity. He at an early day built upon the Rouge the first Saw and Grist mills erected in York County; and the Gazetteer, in 1799, speaks of the place as having "good mills and a thriving settlement of Germans." These Mills were situated on Lot No. 4, in the 3rd Con. It was the presence of this thriving settlement on the Rouge which caused the idea for a time to prevail that a Canal would connect that stream with the Holland River. After Mr. Berczy first took the settlement the Mills appear to have lost some of their former value; and we find in an advertisement in the *Gazette* of April 27th, 1805 that the "Mills and land in Markham are to be sold for payments of debts due to the creditors of Wm. Berczy, Esq., the Mills called the German Mills, being a grist mill and a saw mill. The grist Mill has a pair of French burs and complete machinery bolting superfine flour. With the mills will be given lots 3 & 4, in 3rd Con. also 300 acres being west half of lot No. 31, and the whole of lot 32 in 2nd Con." Mr. Berczy, has resided in York, where we find him taking an active part in promoting its welfare. Although he received extensive grants of land, he became greatly involved financially, from which he never recovered. It was stated by his son who was former Postmaster at Toronto, that he lost £23,000. He returned to the States, and died at New York in 1813. It appears he enjoyed some reputation as a man of education and was spoken of by a Boston paper as "a distinguished inhabitant of Upper Canada, and highly respected for his literary acquirements," and his decease was an "irreparable loss to society" and the republic of letters will have cause to mourn the death of a man eminent for genius and talent." "The German Mills were purchased and kept in operation by Capt. Nolan of the 70th Reg't. at that time in Canada; but the speculation was not a success" (Scadding). In March, 19, 1818, the *Gazette* announces that "the German Mills and Distillery are now in operation, signed, for the proprietors Alex. Patterson, Clerk. Although Capt. Nolan, had ceased to own the place, we find in 1828, the property advertised "for sale, or to be leased, all or any part of the property known and described as Nonanville or German Mills consisting of 400 acres, upwards of 50 under good fences and improvement, with a good dwelling house, barn, stables, saw mill, grist mill, distillery, brew house, malt house, and several other outbuildings. The premises can be viewed at any time by applying to Mr. Jno. Duggan, residing there." Dr. Scadding remarks that "in absence of striking architectural objects in the country at the time, we remember, about the year 1828, thinking the extensive cluster of buildings constituting the German mills as rather an impressive sight, coming upon them suddenly, in the midst of the woods in a deserted condition, with all their windows boarded up." We thus learn that these German mills constituted an important feature in the early history of Markham and the whole County. The road leading from Yonge St. to the Mills was widely known as a well-beaten track.

From the Domesday Book we obtain the following names of persons who received patents of land in Markham at an early date.

First Concession, on East of Yonge street, John Leslie, 1803; Samuel Osborn, 1805; Samuel Gardiner, 1804; Stilwell Wilson, 1808; Elizabeth Dennis, 1803; Anthony Hollingshead, 1802; John Lyons, 1796; Nicholas Miller, 1796; Balser Munshaw, 1802; Abner Miles, 1803; Joshua Sly, 1803; Samuel Cozens, 1797; Oliver Butt, 1804; Thomas Stovel, 1805; Thomas Lyons, 1798; John Dexter, 1793; Bowler Arnold, 1805; Hugh Shaw, 1802; Andrew Davidson, 1802; Thomas Kinnear, 1796; William Jarvis, 1801; Rene Augustin Comte de Chalus, 1806; 280 acres, Michael Fauchard, 1807; Le Chevalier de Marschal, 1806; Jene Louis Vicomte de Chalus, 1807; Lieut. Col. Augustine Bolton, 1807; Quetton St. George, 1806; John Furon, 1806; Ambrose de Farcy, 1806. Second Con. James B. Macaulay, 1799; Neil P. Holm, 1807; John Gretman, 1808; Peter Pinay, 1807; Wm. Smith, 1804; Melchier Quantz, 1803; John Gray, 1804; John Debrug, 1803; Geo. Backendahl 1818; John Nicholas Stover, 1808; Nicholas Henry Hebnor, 1805; John Schmeltzer 1804; Christopher Van Alen, 1833; Daniel Suffer, 1807; Peter Goffrey, 1816; Ama Overhalt, 1807; Ira Bentley, 1801; Wm. Berczy, 1804; Peter Anderson, 1807. Third Con.—John Simcoe MacAuley, 1802; Wm. Berczy, 1804; John Farheller, 1817; Frederick Kapke, 1808; Robert Isaac de Gray et al., 1804; Christia Schioler, 1811; John Walden Miles, 1816; John Gray, 1804; John Henry Langhurst, 1813; John Ulsom, 1803; Francis Schmidt, 1803; Charles H. Vogel, 1804; Ann Kohmann, 1804; John Gray, 1804; Peter Halditz, 1808; James Stimort, 1817; John Boyle, 1804; Wm. Weekes, 1804; John Dietsman, John Kennedy, 1815; John Arnold, 1805; John Bakus, 1804; Allbright Spring, 1805; Frederick Hederick, 1804; Abraham Van Horn, 1804; Jacob Millar, 1805. Fourth Con.—John Simcoe Macaulay, 1799; Mary Hollinshead, 1807; Anthony Hollinshead, 1802; Wm. Heggner, 1817; Joachim Lunen, 1827; Wm. Berczy, 1804; John Peter Lindeman, 1805; Samuel Whitesides, 1817; John George Schultze, 1803; John Gray, 1804; John Button, 1810; John Henry Burlmester, 1807; John Haacke, 1804; Peter Millar, 1804; Wm. Berczy, 1804, 300 acres; Henry Liedo, 1803; John Geo. Munich, 1816; John Wm. Mischultz, 1808; Jacob Misener, 1811; Jacob Rowns, 1822; Henry Schell, 1801; Frederick Schell, 1803; Mark Schell, 1807; Elizabeth Fisher, 1804; John Jumon, 1802; John Crow, 1807; Samuel Eurson, 1800; Mary Gray, 1807. Fifth Con.—Reuben Bentz, 1816; Samuel Bentley, 1808; William Bentley, 1802; Nicholas Hagerman, 1819; John Charles Killer, 1809; Anna Margaretha Pingel, 1804; Watson Playter, 1811; John Daniel Frederick Bush, 1820; Mark Rymohr, 1803; Wm. Berczy, 1804; John Gothlieb Wycheer, 1803; Jacob Botger, 1803; John Stann, 1816; Peter Stalus, 1803; Nicholas Stiffens, 1809; Daniel Tipp, 1832; Francis Schmid, 1818; Christopher Howell, 1809; Johnathan Kuscie, 1802; Wm. B. Caldwell, 1817; Mathias Cline, 1815; John Cook, 1803; Abraham Orth, 1803; Julian Le Bugle, 1803. Sixth Con.—Daniel Merrick, 1808; S. Cozens, 1802, 600 acres; Phillip Eckhardt, 1808; John Eaglehardt Helmke, 1816; Wm. Berczy, 1804, 400 acres; John Sparham, 1815; Henry B. nar, 1803; John Rumobur, 1804; Frederick Ulrick, et al., 1803; Wm. Berczy, 1804, 200 acres; Wm. Weekes, 1804; Geo. Pingal, 1804; John Nicholas Stiffens, 1804; Hugh Carfrae, 1805; Robert Hinsborn, 1808; James Mustard, 1813; James Harrison, 1805; Samuel Nash, 1804; John Campbell, 1804; Elisha Dexter, 1804. Seventh Concession—Wm. Marsh, senior, 1805; Oliver Prentice, 1801; Norman Milliken, 1807; Cornelius Van Horn, 1809; Daniel Cousins, 1806; Elizabeth Shiffe, 1801; Nathan Terry 1806; Wm. Johnson, 1801;

Samuel Mercer, 1811; John Gray, 1804; John H. Pingel, 1807; Edward McMahon, 1817; John McGill, 1806; Martain Holder, 1801; Samuel Tiphe, 1801; John Edgell, 1807; Samuel Mare, 1805; Christian Long, 1801; Wm. Long, 1805; Philip Bartholomew, 1830 8th Con. Jacob de Long, 1803; James Weiant, 1801; Elijah Bentley, 1801; James Vanceise, James Farr, 1805; Cornelius Vanostrand, 1809 John Button, 1805; Nero Fier Neller, 1806; Mary McIntyre, 1804; John Street, 1810; Timothy Street, 1801; Daniel Furs, 1810; John Klandenning, Senr. 1803; Henry Green, 1801; Isaac Davis, 1803; Jessie Haley, 1815; Joshua Millar, Junr., 1801; Lieut. Lunont, 1801; Christian Whidnear, 1824; James McGregor, 1801; Henry Keysinger, 1817; Absalom Summers, 1819; John Long, 1825; Philip Beck, 1809; James Brown, 1801; Philip Weedaman, 1805. 9th Con. Wm. Carpenter, 1816; Colin Drummond, 1804; James Osborn, 1801; Andrew Thompson, 1811; Geo. Post, 1808; James Hamilton, 1801; Levi Collier, 1801; Joseph Moer, 1816; Polly Marr, et al. 1821, John Marr, 1821; Wm. Marr, 1809; Christian Reesor, 1833; Joshua Miller, Senr. 1805; George Boils, 1801; Mary Malatt, 1809; Peter de Geer, 1801; Zachariah Gallway, 1802; Colin Drummond, 1806; John Hamilton, 1804; John Feighner, 1806; Nancy Eodus, 1802; John Williams, 1806; John Campbell, 1804; George Cutler, 1817; Russell Olmstead, 1801, Alex. Legg, 1803; John Macbeath, 1803; Samuel Reynolds, 1813; Abraham Moore, 1828; John Warts, 1802; Isaac Westhcook, 1801; Henry Windecker, 1811; John Pickard, 1807; Joseph Barris, 1809; Abraham Gordin, 1802; Margaret Pomeroy, 1806; Rachael Graham, 1801; Christian Fred. Krister, 1802; John Farr, 1805; Andrew Clubin, 1805; Christian Stickley, 1805; John Luman, 1804; Leonard Caster, 1816; Philip Long, 1815. 11th Con. Rachl. Graham, 1801; Jno. Reesor, Jr. 1837; Margaret Pomeroy, 1806; Abraham Gordin, 1803; Christian Fred Krister 1803; John Pickard, 1807.

The County of York has been the home of many valiant as well as industrious and enterprising gentlemen; and the township of Markham has furnished her share. Of these we may mention the Button family representatives of which live at Belford and other places. In connection with the Buttons must be mentioned the Marr family. Lieut. Colonel W. W. Button, of Belford, is the grandchild of the late Major John Button, and of Wm. Marr. Major Button came into Canada in 1799, and lived for two years at Niagara. He then in 1801 settled in Markham. In 1810, he raised a company known as the "York Light Dragons," and during the war of 1812, with this troop did efficient service. John Button was Capt. Wm. lieutenant, and Francis Button, father of Col. W. M. Button, served as a private. During the troubles in 1839, John Button was on duty as Major, and Francis as Captain. The descendants inherit all the patriotism and love of arms characteristic of their sires; and at the time of the Fenian Raid in 1866, W. M. Button was in command as Major, and John N. Button as Lieutenant. Both the Buttons and Marr's belong to a vigorous stock. The grandfathers both lived to be ninety, and Francis Button is still alive at the age of eighty-three. They have always taken an intelligent interest in all that pertains to the welfare of their country, politically and socially.

The following is an interesting historical item:

"Henry Miller of Thornhill, owner of south half lot of lot number 34, and 50 acres of lot 33 in first con. of the Township of Markham, resides on said lot 33, where he was born Nov. 17, 1737, son of late Nicholas Miller, millwright, who came from Niagara to where Toronto now is in July, 1793, at the same time that Governor Simcoe came there with some troops to prepare for establishing the seat of Government for Upper Canada in the place, he having been engaged by the Governor to build a saw-mill on the Humber, after doing which he took up the said lot 34 to make a home of and entered on it in July, 1794, and died at the same place July 25th, 1810, being the 50th anniversary of his birth."

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL.—The following are the officers of the township from the year 1850. In the year 1850, Amos Wright was Reeve, David Reesor was Dep. Reeve. 1851, D. Reesor, R.; H. Miller, D. R.; 1852, Geo. P. Dickson, R.; A. Hunter, D. R. 1853, Hy. Miller, R.; John Reesor, D. R. 1854, H. Miller, R.; J. Reesor, D. R. 1855, H. Miller, R.; Jacob Pingle, D. R. 1856-7, Reesor, R.; Pingle, D. R. 1858; W. Button, R. W.; Trudgeon, D. R. 1859. Reesor, R.; R. Marsh, D. R. H. P. Crosby, T. Clerk and Treasurer. 1860, David Reesor, R.; W. M. Button, D. R.; Jas. Bowman, R. Marsh, Jacob Pingle, Councillors; Geo. Eakin, Tp. Clerk and Treasurer; who continued to hold the office until 1874. 1861, W. M. Button, R.; R. Marsh, D. R.; Jas. Bowman, A. Barker, A. H. Fenwick, Councillors. 1862, W. M. Button, R.; A. Barker, D. R.; Jas. Bowman, Jno. Bowman, Robt. Marsh, Councillors. 1863, W. M. Button, R.; Jno. Bowman, D. R.; Jas. Bowman, A. Barker, Robt. Marsh, Councillors. 1864, Jno. Bowman, R.; Jas. Gormley, D. R.; Jas. Bowman, A. Barker, W. M. Button, Councillors. 1865, Jno. Bowman, R. Jas. Gormley D. R.; Jas. Bowman, A. Barker, W. M. Button, Councillors. 1866, W. M. Button R.; Jas. Robinson D. R.; Jas. Bowman, Peter Willmot, A. Fenwick, Councillors. 1867, Jno. Bowman R.; Jas. Bowman 1st D. R.; W. M. Button 2nd D. R.; Wm. Eakin, Robt. Marsh, Councillors. 1868, Jas. Robinson, R.; Jno. Lane, 1st D. R.; W. M. Button, 2nd D. R.; Robt. Marsh, Wm. Paget, Councillors. 1869, Jas. Robinson R.; Jno Lane 1st D. R.; W. M. Button, 2nd D. R.; Wm. Padget, Wm. Milliken, Councillors. 1870, Jas. Robinson, R.; John Lane 1st D. R.; Jas. Speight 2nd D. R.; Wm. Padget, Jesse Reesor, Councillors, 1871, Jas. Robinson R.; John Lane 1st D. R.; Wm. Eakin 2nd D. R.; Wm. Padget, Wm. Milliken, Councillors. 1872, Jas. Robinson R.; Jno. Lane, 1st D. R.; Wm. Eakin, 2nd D. R.; Wm. Milliken, Jacob Horner, Councillors. 1873, Wm. Eakin, R.; John Lane, 1st D. R.; Wm. Milliken, 2nd D. R.; Robt. Marsh, N. Button, Councillors. 1874, Jas. Robinson, R.; John Lane, 1st D. R.; Wm. Milliken 2nd D. R.; Robt. Marsh, N. Button, Councillors; John Stephenson, Tp. Clerk and Treasurer, who still holds the office. 1875, Jas. Robinson, R.; John Lane, 1st D. R.; Wm. Milliken 2nd D. R.; Robt. Marsh 3rd D. R.; N. Button, Councillor. 1876, Jas. Robinson, R.; Wm. Milliken, 1st D. R.; Robt. Marsh 2nd D. R.; B. F. Reesor, 3rd D. R.; Jas. Dougherty, Councillor. 1877, Jas. Robinson, R.; B. F. Reesor, 1st D. R.; David James, 2nd D. R.; Samuel Byer, Thos. Williamson, Councillors. Officers for 1878, Jas. Robinson, Reeve, P. O. Markham; B. F. Reesor, 1st Dep. Reeve, P. O. Cedar Grove; David James, 2nd Dep. Reeve, P. O. Thornhill; Thos. Williamson, Councillor, P. O. Cashell; Jno. Duncan, Councillor, P. O. Richmond Hill; Jno. Stephenson, Clerk and Treasurer, P. O. Unionville. Last population as taken in 1878 gives about 5500.

THE VILLAGE OF MARKHAM.—As we have seen, settlement of the township commenced on the banks of the Rouge, almost as early as the foundation of York. The village is pleasantly situated and in approaching it by the road from the south, one observes more than ordinary natural

beauty. The construction of the T. & N. R. R., has given an impetus to the place, and its future progress will no doubt be rapid.

The village was incorporated by by-laws of the county Council on the 20th day of November, 1872, to take effect on the 1st of January, 1873. The following members of the Municipal Council were the first elected and held their first meeting on the 20th day of January, 1873, viz:

James Speight, Esq., Reeve; Captain Thos. A. Milne and Jno. Jer- man, Henry Tane and Hugh Megill, Esqrs. Councillors; Henry R. Cor- son was appointed Clerk and Treasurer; J. Jhn D. Smith, Police Inspect- or; Levi Jones, License Inspector, and Dr. Jno. Doherty, Assessor. The population of the village as per assessors returns for 1878 is 895.

The following are the officers for the current year.—James Speight, Esq., Reeve; and Messrs Jno. Jerman, Wm. Robinson, Henry Wilson and Garnet R. Vanzant, Councillors; H. R. Corson, Clerk and Treasurer; T. Perry Crosby, Police Inspector; and Hugh Megill, Assessor.

THORNHILL.—The German settlement from which Markham village originated, was reached from York at first by way of Yonge street and a road turning off near where is now Thornhill. The relic of this road is yet to be seen. The village is twelve miles from the city, being partly in Vaughan, and is very pleasantly situated. The name is taken from Mr. B. Thorn, who settled here in 1820. The history of the settlers has been already referred to. There are two churches, and the population amounts to about 700.

RICHMOND HILL.—Is also partly situated in Markham; is referred to in connection with Vaughan.

STOUFFVILLE—is likewise on the boundary, being connected with Whit- church. There are other collections of inhabitants in different parts of the townships with Post Offices, as Dollar, Headford, Victoria Square, Buttonville, Brown's Corners, Yarmley's Corners, Almira, Cashell, Mon- golia, Milnesville, Belford, Box Grove, Cedar Grove, Milliken, Hagger- man's Corners, Unionville. The last named is a considerable village, two miles and a-half west of Markham, on the river Rouge; and is the abode of Mr. Stephenson the township clerk.

Among the inhabitants of Unionville is a living relic of the olden times, in the person of Mrs. Phoebe Grant. We had the pleasure of visit- ing her on the 3rd of Sept. last, and learned from her lips the following facts in her history. She is a native of New Jersey, and came into Can- ada when a few years old. Her father's name was Stett, who was drowned, leaving her to the care of an indifferent mother and afterwards a hard stepfather. When quite young she was bound to a Capt. Fry at York, and the captain's wife led her a slavish life, often cruelly beating her. Notwithstanding she remained with them for seventeen years, when she married. Her first husband's name was Jas. Kendrick; the second, Ebenezer Cook; the third, Henry Walshe, who was the person to introduce into Canada the first Arabian horses. Her fourth husband, Jno. Grant, is still living. Mrs. Grant is now on the verge of ninety- nine. She is active, can hear, see and talk as well as any one. She en- joys a small annuity from the relatives of one of her former husbands; and possesses a kind husband much younger than herself.

NUMBER OF VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF MARKHAM FOR 1878.

Owners	872
Tenants	550
Farmers Sons.....	93
Occupants.....	2
Householders.....	5
Income Tax,	1
Total.....	1523.

Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of Mark- ham for 1877.

Balance on hand from 1876.....	\$1,806.11.
Total receipts from Taxes, Fines, and Miscellaneous items for 1877.....	11,062.29.
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	11,070.25.
Excess of Expenditures over Receipts..	\$7.96.
JAMES BOWMAN, F. K. REESOR, } AUDITORS.	
TAXES LEVIED FOR 1877.	
Township, Tax.....	4269.46.
County Tax.....	4276.96.
Non-resident Tax.....	133.56.
Total Taxes.....	\$8679.98

WHITCHURCH.

The township was laid out by Surveyor Stegman in 1800, who then surveyed from the first to the fourth Concession. In 1802, he completed the township. In the early part of the century Surveyor Wilnot was engaged in the 8th and 9th Concessions; and in 1869 Jno. Shier re-sur- veyed some of the lines. The name is probably taken from a town in Herefordshire, England. Whitechurch is bounded by Yonge street upon which it fronts and which separates it from King, by Markham on the South, on the east by Uxbridge and on the North by East Gwillimbury. It has ten concessions, the last having only ten lots of small size; and the 9th Con. is deficient in half of its length at the north. Through this township lies the Oak Ridges which form the water-shed between Lakes Ontario and Simcoe, where are found the sources of many of the streams which be- come the tributaries of the Don, the Rouge or the Holland Rivers. We have upon the Ridges varieties of vegetation not found elsewhere in the country. The country northward to Lake Simcoe presents a rich agricul- tural region, in a high state of cultivation. A number of lakes add beauty to the country, as Bond Lake on Yonge street, Lake Wilcocks, Lake Reesor, Lake Musselman, and Sand Lake, beside a number of small ponds. The names applied to these lakes are derived from the owners of the lots on which they are situated.

The Domesday Book furnishes the subjoined names as early patentees. Beside a large number of lots patented to the Canada Company, and to Kings College.

First Concession on East side of Yonge street, Lot 61 continued from Markham township. 61 Ambroise de Farcy, 1806; 61, Michael Saigeon, 1820; 62, Joseph Bouchette, 1796; 63, Wm. Boud, 1798; 64, Daniel Laughlin, 1832; 65, John Furon, 1809; 66 Jas. Pitney, 1797; 67, John Jones, 1804; 68, Jno. Hems, 1832; 69, Wm. Hale, 1832; 70, Jno. Grover, 1817; 71, David Hooter, 1803; 72, Jas. Lloyd, 1864; 73, George Simpson, 1847; 74, Jas. Mitchell, 1802; 75, Wm. Smith, 1802; 76-7, Capt. Wm. Graham,

1798; 78, Frederic Smith, 1797; 79, Chas. Fathers, 1797; 80, Ebenezer Britton, 1805; 81, Abner Miles, 1803; 82, Barnabus Nains, 83, Jno. Starkweather, 1804; 84, Abraham Tucker, 1803; 85, Rob. Wilson, 1803; 86, Rob. Ward, 1805; 17, Jas. Miles, 1803; 98, Shadrack Stephens, 1805; 88, Andrew Clubine, 1805; 89, Nathaniel Gamble, sr., 1802; 90, Nataniel Hastings, 1807; 91, Stephen Barbarce, 1802; 92, Simon McMirty, 1802; 93, Jas. McMurty, 1802; 94, Henry Crone, 1804; 95, Timothy Rogers, 1804. Second Con. Lot 1-2-4, Capt. Jno. Baptist Bouchette, 1801; 3, Simeon Fiel, 1838; 5, Mary Chambers, 1801; 7-8, Wm. Bond, 1798; 9, Daniel Steel, 1857; 9, Wm. Cnningham, 1858; 10-11, Jas. Park, 1817; 13-14, Jno. Chisholm, 1798; 15, Duke Wm. Kendrick, 1801; 16, Jno. Ashborn, 1837; 17-18-19, Frederick Baron de Hoen, 1802; 21-2-3-5, Capt. Wm. Graham, 1798; 24, Jno. McKay, 1836; 26-3-9, Jas. Fulton, 1803; 30, Jas. Bogart, 1830; 31-2, Hugh Shaw, 1803; 32, Jas. Ed. Small, 1811; 34-5, Geo. Chisholm, 1803. Third Con. 1, Fred Baron de Hoen, 1802; 3-4-6-7-9-10, Jno. Stegman, 1801; 5, Jas. Lloyd, 1841; 10, J. G. Small, 1811; 11 Samuel Wilton, 1853; 12-13-14, Baron de Hoen, 1802; 16-17-18-19, 20-22-23-24, Capt. W. Graham, 1798; 21, Jonathan Pitch, 1840; 26-27-28, Jas. Fulton, 1803; 28, Rob. Catlicart, 1845; Abraham Wester, 1805; 30, Joseph Randall, 1812; 32, N. Widdersfield, 1811; 33, Isaac Phillips, 1802; 34, Jno. Wester et al 1837; 35, Geo. Chisholm, 1803. Fourth Con. 1 Baron de Hoen, 1802; 2, Jno. R. Small, 1811; Peter Bellinger, 1840 4-5, Jno. Hayes 1801; 7-8, J. P. Small, 1811; 9, Phil Grover, 1844; 10-11-13-14-15, Baron de Hoen, 1802; 16, Geo. Powell, 1856; 16, Geo. Snider, 1857; 17, Capt. W. Gram, 2798; 17, Joseph Chiniqui, 1806; Isaac Pilkington, 1804; 18, Isaac Willis 1804 19, Jas. Starr, 1804 21, Joseph Webster, 1803; 22, Wm. Webster, 1804; 23, Abraham Webster, 1805; 24, Jno. Gilroy, 1830; 25, Jas. Wilson, 1813; 26, Peter Wilson, 1816; 26, Eliezer Lundy, 1812; 29, Aaron Tool, 1812; 30, Mordicai Millard 1832; 31-2, Samuel Purdy, 1813; 34, Wm. Lundy, 1816. Fifth Con. 1 Wm. Maclean, 1808; 2, Phil Gore, 1833; 2, Thomas Maclean, 1838; 3, Godfrey Hiltz, 1803; 4, Nathaniel Pearson, 1807; 6, Mary McNab, 1836; 7, Wm. Hill, 1806; 9, Jno. Crow, jr. 1836; 10, Christian Schill, 1807; 11, Geo. Gore, 1848; 11, Jno. Alkuse, 1850; 12, Jas. Roche, 1802; 13, Peter Brillenger, 1803; 14, Jno. Engelhard, 1803; 16, Joseph Durham, 1803; 17, Jeremiah Durham, 1803; Thos. Jobett, 1804; 19, Jno. Dehart, 1804; 20, Jesse Ketchum, 1804; 22 Henry Hashall, 1804; 23 Mary Wells, 1812; 24, Jas. Roche, 1803; 26, Jno. Lundy, 1805; 27, Joseph Widdesfield, 1812; 29, Richard Lundy, 1816; 30, Ebenezer Lundy, 1804; 32, Samuel Lundy, 1813; 32, Geo. Ridout, 1818; 33, Samuel Palmer, 1806; 35, Peter Miller, 1802. Sixth Con. 1, Ebenezer Cook, 1802; 2, Asa Randall, 1816; 3, Jno. Maclem, 1838; 4, Nathaniel Pearson, 1807; 5, Wm. Pearson, 7, 1806; Jno. Fuguson, 1802; 8, Geo. Semon, 1805; 9, Thos. Maclem, 1838; Daniel Hunter, 1839; 10, Jno. Kendrick, 1812; 11, Jas. Roche, 1802; 13-14, Rob. Henderson, 1803; 17, Hugh Wilson, 1803; 18, Davenport Philps, 1804; 18, Leonard Klinck, 1843; 19, Jno. Eyer, 1804; 21, Aaron Wilson, 1804; 22, Jas. Rogers, 1804; 23, Josh. Smades, 1804; 25-6-8-9-31, J. Ferguson, 1802; 32, Peter Boughstanch, 1803; 34, Jno. Cline, 1803; 35, Nathan Hixon, 1802. Seventh Con. 1 Geo. Foulker, 1809; Jas. Lee, 1838; 2, Samuel Brownstenger, 1847; 3-4, Whitfield Patterson, 1812; 6, Joshua Snades, 1804; 7, Jno. Baker, 1802; 8, Wm. Musselman, 1839; 8, Jacob Baker, 1848; 9, Jas. Lundy, 1808; 10, Osborne Cox, 1812; 12, Peter Wheeler, 1803; 13, Jno. Cook, jr., 1804; 14, Rob. Henderson, 1803; 15, Alex. Hunter, 1855. The lots from 16 to 21, as well as a number of others were patented to the Canada Company, lot 22, Jno. Bassel, 1805; 23, Joseph Derick, 1803; 24, Gilbert Vanderbarrow, 1803; 26, Wm. Beechell, 1803; 27, Ed. Heazzel, 1807; 27, Jno. Radenhurst, 1843; 27, Christopher Heslet, 1816; 29, Samuel Betzner, 1803; 30, Jacob Bechtel, sr., 1803; 32, Adam Cline 1803; 33, Geo. Althouse, 1802; 35, Abraham McDonald, 1809. Eighth Con. 1, Mary Feeks, 1803; 2, Joseph Davis, 1805; 3, Christian Leahman, 1844; 3, Jacob Burkholder, 1845; 3, Norman Jones, 1846; 4, Isaac Johnson, 1806; 5, Wm. Clawson, 1811; 7, Albright Spring, 1816; 8, Wm. Cornell, 1803; 10, Thos. Lundy, 11, Ebenezer Jones, jr., 1804; 13, Samuel McLin, 1803; 14, Loyal Davis, 1803; 15, Jno. Bricker, 1803; 17, David Alberson, 1803; 18, Wm. Hurson, 1817; 19-20-22-23, Ranald McDonald, 1849; 25, Geo. Clemens, 1863; 26, Obadiah Taylor, 1804; 28, Harriet Heron, 29, Gilbert Vanderbarrow, 1803; 31, John Cornwell, 1803; 32, Hannah Beans, 1804; 34, Samuel Bucker, 1803; 35, Phil Saltberger, 1803. Ninth Concession 1, Russell Hoag, 1805; 2, Abraham Stouffer, jr., 1809; 3, Mary Walts, 1805; 4, John Bogard, 1802; 6, Martin Bogart, sr., 1804; 7, Donald McLean, 1831; 8, Jeremiah Brown, 1847; 9, Hale Davis, 1803; 10, Wm. Eadus, 1812; 10, Sarah Vanwick, 1808; 12, Moses McCay, 1803; 13, Hannah Johnson, 1807; 15, Jno. Hill, 1850; 24, Joseph Chiniqui, 1806; 26, Alex. Gray, 1806; 20, Jno. Furou, 1806; 27, Elijah Groones, 1807; 29, Jno. Berry, 1804; 30, Rob. Gray, 1804; 32-3-5, Benham Preston, 1803. Tenth Con. 1-2-4-5; Jacob Long, 1810; 6, Michael Law, 1842; 7-3-10-11, Sarah Vanwick, 1808; 12, Francis Rossignall, 1846.

By the favor of the township clerk, Mr. J. W. Collins, we here give extracts from the oldest records of the township in his possession.

"The proceedings of a town meeting held at Wm. Barber's for the township of Whitchurch 3rd January, 1825, Wm. Barber town clerk." But the proceedings are not found. The proceedings held at J. Hewitts in Newmarket, 2nd January, 1826. Joseph Hewitt, T. C.; Wm. Reader, and J. Hewitt, Assessors; Saml. Ball, Collector; Ely Gorham and Jno. Bonget jun.; Town Wardens. 1827, meeting at the same place, Jno. Bogart Jun., T. C.; Wm. McCausland and S. Balls, Assessors; Jas. Pearson, Collector; Eli Gorman, Jno. Bogart, Jun., T. W. 1828, the same T. C.; Jas. Pearson, S. Ball, Assessors; Isaac Lundy Collector; Martain Bogart and Jno. Bogart Sen., T. W. 1829, Bogart, T. C.; Ball and Joseph Randall, Assessors; Joshua Willson, Jun., Collector; Martin Bogart, E. Gorham, T. W. 1830, Bogart, T. C.; Joshua Willson, Jun., Phil. Bogard, assessors; Isaac Playter, Collector; Jas. Faulker-Timothy Millard, T. W. 1831, Bogart, T. C.; Isaac Playter, Jno. Willson, Assessors; Joshua Willson, Collector; Isaac Lundy, Jacob Wiedman, T. W. 1832, Bogart, T. C.; J. Playter, Assessor; Jas. Harman, Collector; Jno. Balsfred, Abraham Stover, Snn. T. W. 1833, Bogart, T. C.; J. Willson, P. Bogart, Assessors; Jno. Hartman, Collector; John Sharfer, Leadwick Wiedman, T. W. 1834, Bogart, T. C.; Wm. Akens, Jno. Stover, T. W. 1835, meeting held at Stoverville, Bogart, T. C.; Dan. Hunter, Isaac Playter, Assessor; Wm. Seton, Collector; Thos. Macklin, Andrew Clubone, T. W. 1836, "The proceedings of a meeting held at Stoversville, 4th Jan., for the purpose of electing officers and other business, such as may be deemed necessary for the township. Jas. Pearson, chairman, elected by clean vote; Jno. Bogart, Jun. T. C., elected by a clean vote; Samuel Pearson, Joshua Willson, Ludwick Weidman, Commissioners, carried by a large majority; Isaac Hunter, Assessor; Jos. Playter, Collector."

"The first book of the proceedings of the township. Commissioners agreeable to an act of the Prov. Leg., passed April the 16th 1835; intitled

an act to reduce to one act, the several laws relative to the appointment and duty of the township officers in the province." The Board of Com met on the 3rd of Jan. 1836, viz: Ludwick Wideman, Joshua Willson, Samuel Pearson; John Bogart, Township Clerk. Among the business done was arranging the fee for pound keepers, for taking care and advertising certain animals—"horses, 2 6 for board; horned cattle, 2 6; Hogs, 1/-." One quarter of a hundred of hay for each horse, cow or ox, for every twenty-four hours, for the hay and feeding and watering the same 1/9, to be paid to the pound keeper. Each hog is to have four pounds of oats or two quarts of peas for each and every day. The pound keeper is to have six pence per day for feed and feeding and watering the same." Jno. Stover was pound keeper of one division, Jas. Cook of another, Wm. Williamson of another, Rich. Wayling, another. The Court adjointed to meet on 16th at Geo. Bottsard, near Bogart's Mill. Again, in July, the Council met at Stoversville "to examine into the affairs of the township and there appeared to be a complaint sent in writing against Chas. Scadding of having seven day's work too much."

"Cash account—cash received from the township, and expended on the public high ways by the Commissioners. Received of Mr. Cawthra for gravel taken out of the highway, £1 0s. 6d.; also from Thos. A. Tebb, 7s. 6.; from T. Billings, junr., for wild land tax for the year 1834, £4 19s. 7d. Paid to Jas. Lloyd for work done on Queen street near Charles Lloyd's saw mill. Received of Joshua Willson £1 5s. gratis, also of L. & D. Lang, 2s. 6d. gratis, likewise of Mr. Bogart, jr., 10 dollars gratis. Paid for roadwork £4 7s. 6. Received of Thomas R. Parson, in lieu of statute labor, £1; also of Solomon Wamsley, £1 13s. 9d., and Gabriel Lount £3 2s. 6d.; I. Walton 5s.; Samuel Pearson 10s., and a number of others for the same. Dr. acct., £18 19s. 6d. Cr. acct. £22 10s. Due to the township, £3 18s. 4d." Under date of Dec. 24, 1836 is recorded. "Money raised by subscription to open and make a road between lots 25 and 26 in the 4th con., and to make a certain piece of road on the 5th con. line." Mostly all the subscribers gave 10s.; but John Bogart, junr., gave £3. The total amount raised £25 18s. 1d."

The minutes state the commissioners met at Newmarket on the 3rd Saturday in January, the Commissioners being Jno. Macklin, Eli Gorham, Jas. Pearson. A report of special session is signed, Charles Scadding, J. P., and Jas. Gamble, J. P.

In 1837 Jos. Pearson again chairman of township meeting; Mr. Macklin, Eli Gorham, Jos. Pearson appointed commissioners; Bogart, T. C.; P. Bogart, ass.; Wm. Seton, collector. It was resolved that a fine of £5 be inflicted on any one allowing the Canada thistle to grow. A committee was appointed to agree upon a suitable place for a township Hall, and to open a subscription, namely: Adam Gorham, Jno. Millard, Simon Beels, Joshua Willson, Ezra Chubine, Ludwick Wiedman, Eli Gorham, James Edmonson, Jacob Laing, J. Lloyd, jr., Thos. Macklin, J. Burkholder; but we learn the scheme fell to the ground.

In the year 1838, "there was no township meeting held, by order of the justices of the peace, in consequence of the Rebellion taking place about the same time, and the township officers for the year are to remain as they were in 1837, except those the commissioners know to be under bonds or implicated." 1839, Joshua Willson, chairman: Robt. Fenton, Joshua Willson, Isaac Lundy, township wardens; Bogart, T. C.; Dan. Hunter, ass. Thomas Roper, collector. 1840, Eli Gorham, chairman; Bogart, T. C.; Phil. Phil. Bogart, Jno. Miller, Jno. Macklin, township wardens; Benj. Pearson, ass.; William Seaton, collector. 1841, T. Willson, chairman; Bogart, T. C.; P. Bogart, Benj. Bozer, D. Hunter, township wardens; J. Playter, ass.; Seaton, collector. 1842, Bogart, T. C.; G. Boyer, Norman Jones, J. Maclin, Clayton Webb, Irwin, J. Cawthra, G. Playter, school commissioners; B. Bozer, J. Dockler, sen., T. Hunt, township wardens; T. Clubine, ass.; W. Seaton, collector. 1843, T. Willson, chairman; Bogart, T. C.; Christy Stouffer, W. Seaton, J. Maclin, J. Hunter, W. Stephenson, T. Pearson, school commissioners; T. W. Collins, Jacob Clack, T. Bozer, W. Graham, township wardens; Seaton, ass., Wiedman, collector. 1844, P. Pearson, chairman; Bogart, T. C.; T. Maclin, J. Bozer, T. Botsford, township wardens; Henry Wiedman, ass. and collector. 1845, Michael T. Empey, chairman: Bogart, T. C.; J. B. Collwel, C. Stouffer, Hugh Norman, township wardens. 1846, Empey, chairman; Bogart, T. C.; Botsford, Henry Widdifield, Seaton, township wardens; 1847, Empey, chairman; Bogart, T. C.; J. Cook, R. H. Smith, J. Patterson, township wardens. 1848, J. Hewitt, chairman, and was appointed T. C.; T. Pearson, J. Doherty, J. Maclin, township wardens. 1849, P. Pearson, chairman; J. Hunt, Nelson Scott, John Hill, 6th con., township wardens

In the year 1850 the meeting was held at the court house, Newmarket, Jan. 25th. Present—Joseph Hartman, T. Pearson, J. Maclin, E. Weedman, G. Playter; J. Hartman, Reeve; Weidman, Dep. Reeve; J. Hewitt, T. C. Feb. 21st, J. Hewitt's resignation was accepted and G. Samuel Hewitt was appointed T. C. 1851, meeting at Smith's Inn, village of Stouffville, adjourned to the school house; J. Willson, G. Playter, T. Pearson, J. Maclin, Hy. Weedman, councilors; Porter, T. C. 1852, J. Hartman, R. Weedman, D. Smith, Playter, George Brodie, councilors. 1853, Hartman, Reeve; R. H. Smith, Dep. Reeve; G. Playter, G. Brodie, 1854, J. Hartman, Reeve; J. Brown, Dep. Reeve. 1855-56, the same as last year. 1857-53-59, Hartman, Reeve; Maxon Jones, Dep. Reeve. Mr Hartman, the Reeve died and a resolution of respect was passed. 1860, John Ironside, Reeve; Philip Maclin, Dep. Reeve. 1861-62, Ironside, Reeve; Edward Wheeler, Dep. Reeve. 1863-64, E. Wheeler, Reeve; John Randolph, Dep. Reeve. 1865-66, J. Randolph, Reeve; Philip Mac lin, Dep. Reeve. 1867-68, E. Wheeler, Reeve; D. Maclin, Dep. Reeve; 1869, G Randolph, Reeve; D. Maclin, Dep. Reeve. 1870, J. Randolph, Reeve; P. Maclin, Maxon, Jones, Dep. Reeve. 1871, D. Wheeler, Reeve; M. Jones, Dep. Reeve. 1872-3, J. Randolph, Reeve; M. Jones, P. Macklin, Deputy Reeve; 1874, M. Jones, Reeve, S. Lundy P. Macklin, Deputy Reeve; 1875, M. Jones, Reeve; S. Lundy, W. B. Saunders, Dep. Reeve. 1876-77, M. Jones, Reeve; J. Lundy, T. Lloyd, Dep. Reeve, The meetings of the Council are held now at Ballantrae. The officers and Council for 1878 are as follows, viz;

Joseph C. Lundy, Esq., Reeve, Pine Orchard; John Jameison, Dep. Reeve; Thomas Lloyd, 2nd Dep. Reeve; John Irwin, John Miller, Councilors; J. W. Collins, Clerk and Treasurer; Philip Jones, Assessor; Stewart Walker, Collector. Number of acres in Township and assessed as nearly as can be made out 60,000, although the government make it out 65,000—which is accounted for by gores, shorts, &c. The population according to assessors Roll is about 4500, churches 12, schools, 15, two small custom grist Mills, six saw mills, one custom carding and clothing mill.

Mr. Collins has held the office of clerk and treasurer since 1852. He is the son of a pioneer, his father Joseph Collins having built the first

grist mill where the village of Uxbridge now stands, known as the Uxbridge mills. He was accidentally killed shortly after. He was of Welsh descent, and came from Pennsylvania. His mother was a Bogart, whose father was one of the first settlers in the township. The family of Bogarts belong to the Knickerbockers who colonized New Holland, now New York State.

VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITCHURCH FOR 1878.

Owners	701
Tenants	378
Farmers Sons.....	45
Occupants.....	3
Income Tax,	2

Total..... 1129.

Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of Whitchurch for 1877.

Balance on hand from 1876.....	\$1,030.47.
Total receipts from Taxes, Licenses and Miscellaneous items for 1877.....	9,973.67.
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	9,806.82.

Balance on hand to next account..... \$166.85.

L. L. HARTMAN, } AUDITORS.
FRANCIS BOAK, }

TAXES LEVIED FOR 1877.

General Taxes received as per Collector's Reports.....	\$8,706.05.
Dog Tax.....	463.00.

Total Taxes..... \$9,169.05.

NEWMARKET.—Like the village of Markham, Newmarket dates back to an early period in the history of York. Dr. Scadding, says, that it had its germ or nucleus in the mills and stores of Mr. Elisha Beaman, who emigrated thither from the State of New York in 1836. Here also on the branch of the Holland river, mills at an early date were established by Mr. Mordecai Millard, and tanneries by Mr. Joseph Hill, Mr. Beaman's mills became subsequently the property of Mr. Peter Robinson." But Mr. Wm. Roe, of whom hereafter, says that Hill built the mills, and sold them to Mr. Robinson in 1812. Mr. Hill afterward lived in York where he kept an inn. The first mill was a small building with two run of stones. When Mr. Roe, came here in 1814, there were two frame, and several log buildings. Mr. Robinson occupied one of the frame houses and Mr. Timothy Millard owned and lived in the other. He was the Miller in Mr. Robinson's mill. Mr. Peter Robinson, who was Commissioner of Crown Lands in 1827, and one of the representatives of York and Simcoe in the Provincial Parliament, and afterwards his brother W. B. Robinson, also M. P. P., gave to the place a name for hospitality. And here in the small frame house, distinguished individuals were entertained as guests. "Governors, Commodores, and Commander-in-chief on their tours of pleasure or duty were glad to find a momentary resting place at a refined domestic fireside. Here Sir John Franklin, was entertained for some days in 1835, and at other periods, Sir John Ross, and Capt. Jack, when on their way to the Arctic regions." This house Mr. Roe says, continued to stand on the banks of the stream until this summer when the great freshet carried it away.

After Mr. Robinson settled in the place it seems to have rapidly increased, and a good deal of tradipp was done both with the Indians and whites. The settlers here found a market for their produce, which was bartered for goods. This was more convenient than going to York; and hence they designated the place Newmarket, the name it now bears.

Mr. Wm. Roe, the postmaster of the place now 83 years old, has held the position for upwards of 40 years. His history possesses no ordinary interest. He is the son of an Englishman, from London, a barrister-at-law, who lived at Detroit while it was yet under the British flag, and here Mr. Roe was born. His father was deputed to hand over the key of the fort to the United States officer in 1796; he afterwards lived and died at Windsor. Mr. Roe's grandfather, Jno. Loughton, an officer on a 74 gun ship, was present at the taking of Quebec by Wolfe. He superintended the hoisting up of the one gun to the Plains of Abraham, and by judiciously firing it at a critical moment, he was chiefly instrumental in securing the victory. Mr. Roe came to York in 1807. It was Mr. Roe who saved from capture a considerable portion of the public funds, when York fell into the hands of General Dearborn and Commodore Chauncey in 1813. Mr. Roe was at the time an employee in the office of the Receiver General, Prideaux Selby; and by the order of General Sheaffe and the Executive Council he conveyed three bags of gold and a large sum of army-bills to the farm of Chief Justice Robinson on the Kingston road east of the Don bridge, and there buried them.

The army-bills were afterwards delivered up to the enemy; but the gold remained secret until the departure of the invaders, and was handed over to the authorities in Dr. Strachan's parlour by Mr. Roe. The Receiver-General's iron chest was also removed by Mr. Roe and deposited in the premises of Mr. Donald McLean, Clerk of the House of Assembly. Mr. McLean was killed while bravely opposing the landing of the Americans, and his house was plundered; the strong chest was broken open and about one thousand silver dollars were taken therefrom. Mr. Roe as a merchant was engaged, for a number of years, in the fur trade at Newmarket in connection with Mr. Andrew Borland. He would visit New York, travelling with a waggon, to procure goods to exchange for furs with the Indians. From 300 to 400 often congregated at Newmarket. The value of the furs sometimes taken here by Mr. Robinson, and Roe & Borland would amount to 40 or 50,000 dollars. Mr. Roe is a fine specimen of the generation of active pioneers now mostly passed away; and he is enjoying a green old age. He retains his mental faculties in a marked degree, and his physical health seems very good, although, as he quaintly remarked, he has been troubled with dyspepsia ever since the first brick house was built in Toronto. This, we found, upon inquiry, was in 1812, built by Mr. Hale.

Newmarket has been the home of a number of other individuals more or less distinguished. Mr. John Cawthra was engaged in business here for a long time; he was for a while a member of Parliament, and he and his brother Jonathan took a conspicuous part in the war of 1812, at Detroit and Queenston. Here lived Rev. Robert Taylor, a distinguished graduate of Trinity College, Dublin; the Rev. Septimus Ramsay, secretary of the Colonial Missionary Society; the Rev. R. Athill; and the Rev. C. G. Street. The consequence has been that Newmarket has been favoured with an intelligent society, and was always a desirable place to live in. It is very pleasantly situated between two ranges of hills, from either of which one may obtain a delightful landscape view. An act incorporating the

READY REFERENCE TABLE.

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Upper Percaux.....	King's, N. S.	Varney.....	Grey, S.E., Ont.	Wassila Station.....	Sunbury, N. B.	Waubuno.....	Lambton, Ont.	West Lynne.....	Prosserch, M.	Whycocomagh Rear.....	Inverness, N. B.	Woodbridge.....	York, W.R., Ont.
Upper Percaux.....	King's, N. S.	Vasey.....	Simcoe, N.R., Ont.	Washahene.....	Simcoe, N.R., Ont.	Waughs River.....	Culcheth, N. S.	West McGillivray.....	Midlesex, N. B.	Wiaraton.....	Bruce, N.R., Ont.	Woodburn.....	Wentworth, N. B.
Upper Rawdon.....	Hants, N. S.	Vauban.....	Tenimacoua, Que.	Wagram.....	Wellington, N.R., Ont.	Waupos.....	Prince Edward, Ont.	West Magdala.....	Elgin, W.P., Ont.	Wick.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodford.....	Grey, N.R., Ont.
Upper St. Basil.....	Pictou, N. B.	Vaudreuil.....	Que.	Wakfield.....	Ottawa, Que.	Waverley.....	Simcoe, N.R., Ont.	West Meath.....	Renfrew, N.R., Ont.	Wickham.....	Queen's, N. B.	Woodham.....	Perth, S.R., Ont.
Upper St. Francis.....	Victoria, N. B.	Vaughan's.....	Hants, N. S.	Waldemar.....	Wellington, N.R., Ont.	Waverly.....	Haldia, N. S.	West Merigton.....	Victoria, N. B.	Wicklow.....	Northumberland, W.R., Ont.	Woodlands.....	Stormont, N. B.
Upper Sackville.....	Westmoreland, N. B.	Vellone.....	York, W.R., Ont.	Wales.....	Stormont, Ont.	Way's Mills.....	Stunstead, Que.	West Montrose.....	Waterloo, N.E., Ont.	Wicklow Station.....	Hull, N. B.	Wood Point.....	Westmoreland, N. B.
Upper Settlement of Baddeck River.....	Victoria, N. S.	Venice.....	Mississqui, Que.	Walkerton.....	Bruce, S.R., Ont.	Weaver Set.lement.....	Digby, N. S.	West Newby Quoddy.....	Hants, N. B.	Widder.....	Lambton, Ont.	Woodville.....	Victoria, N. B.
Upper Settlement of Bay's River.....	Pictou, N. B.	Vennachar.....	Adaddington, Ont.	Walkerville.....	Essex, Ont.	Webber's.....	Annapolis, N. S.	West Port.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilder Station.....	Lambton, Ont.	Woodstock.....	Oxford, N.R., Ont.
Upper Settlement of Middle River.....	Victoria, N. S.	Venosta.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Wallace.....	Perth, N.R., Ont.	Weedon.....	Wolfe, Que.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of South River.....	Antigonish, N. S.	Venry.....	Grey, E.R., Ont.	Wallace.....	Cumberland, N. B.	Welton.....	Dundas, N. B.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vercheres.....	Vercheres, Que.	Wallace Bridge.....	Cumberland, N. S.	Weldford.....	Kent, N. B.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Verdon.....	Bruce, S.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland.....	Welland, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vereker.....	Essex, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vernon.....	Antigonish, N. S.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vernon Mines.....	King's, N. S.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vernon River Bridge.....	Queen's, N. B.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vernonville.....	Northumberland, W.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Verona.....	Adaddington, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Versailles.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Veschoyle.....	Grey, S.E., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vesta.....	Grey, S.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vicars.....	Huntingdon, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria.....	Victoria, B. C.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria.....	Carleton, N. B.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria.....	Cumberland, N. S.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria.....	Queen's, P. E. I.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria Cross.....	King's, P. E. I.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria Corners.....	Ontario, N.R.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria Harbour.....	King's, N. S.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria Harbour.....	Simcoe, N.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria Mines.....	Cape Breton, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria Road Station.....	Victoria, N.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Victoria Square.....	York, E.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vionna.....	Elgin, E.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Viger.....	Tenimacoua, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Viger Mines.....	Atabaska, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vigo.....	Simcoe, N.E., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Village des Aulnaies.....	L'Islet, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Village Richelieu.....	Rouville, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Villanova.....	Norfolk, N.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Villette.....	Compton, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Villiers.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vincent.....	Compton, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vincent.....	Simcoe, S.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vino.....	Ottawa, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vinton.....	Pontiac, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Violet.....	Lanark, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vander.....	Quebec, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vandeleur.....	Grey, E.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vankleek Hill.....	Prescott, Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vannock.....	Midlesex, E.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vauvick.....	Simcoe, N.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Vauvick.....	Simcoe, N.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Varennes.....	Vercheres, Que.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.
Upper Settlement of West River.....	King's, N. S.	Varna.....	Huron, S.R., Ont.	Wallaceburg.....	Kent, Ont.	Welland Port.....	Monck, Ont.	Westport.....	Leeds, S.E., Ont.	Wilfrid.....	Ontario, N.R., Ont.	Woodstock.....	Carleton, N. B.

MONEY-ORDER AND SAVINGS-BANK OFFICES.

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Acton..... <i>Halton</i> , Ont.	Berwick..... <i>King's</i> , N. S.	Christmas Island.. <i>Cape Breton</i> , N. S.	Dunroon..... <i>Simcoe</i> , N. R., Ont.	Hampton..... <i>Durham</i> , W. R., Ont.	Lawson..... <i>Levis</i> , Que.	Minden..... <i>Peterboro</i> , E. R., Ont.
Adamsville..... <i>Bagen</i> , Que.	Bethany..... <i>Durham</i> , E. R., Ont.	Claremont..... <i>Ontario</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Durham..... <i>Grey</i> , S. R., Ont.	Hanover..... <i>Grey</i> , S. R., Ont.	Lawrencetown..... <i>Annapolis</i> , N. S.	*Mitchell..... <i>Perth</i> , N. S.
Adamsville..... <i>Brant</i> , Que.	Blairton..... <i>Peterboro</i> , E. R., Ont.	Clarence..... <i>Russell</i> , Ont.	Easton's Corners..... <i>Grenville</i> , N. R., Ont.	Hantsport..... <i>Hants</i> , N. S.	Leamington..... <i>Essex</i> , Ont.	Molawak..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R., Ont.
Adelaide..... <i>Middlesex</i> , N. R., Ont.	Bluevale..... <i>Huron</i> , N. R., Ont.	Clarke..... <i>Durham</i> , W. R., Ont.	Edmundston..... <i>Victoria</i> , B. C.	*Hariston..... <i>Wellington</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Leeds..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Moncton..... <i>Westmoreland</i> , N. B.
Advocate Harbour..... <i>Cumberland</i> , N. S.	Bligh..... <i>Huron</i> , N. P., Ont.	Clayton..... <i>Durham</i> , W. R., Ont.	Eganville..... <i>Renfrew</i> , S. R., Ont.	Harvey..... <i>Albert</i> , B. C.	Lefroy..... <i>Simcoe</i> , S. R., Ont.	Monro Mills..... <i>Cardwell</i> , Ont.
Ailsa Craig..... <i>Middlesex</i> , N. S.	Boycanville..... <i>S. R.</i> , Ont.	*Clayville..... <i>Bohemia</i> , Ont.	Edmondville..... <i>Huron</i> , C. R., Ont.	Harvey Station..... <i>York</i> , N. B.	Leopoldville..... <i>Shoreville</i> , Que.	*Montmaggy..... <i>Montmagny</i> , N. S.
Albion..... <i>Cardwell</i> , Ont.	*Bondhead..... <i>Simcoe</i> , S. R., Ont.	Clifford..... <i>Wellington</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Elora..... <i>Wellington</i> , C. R., Ont.	*Hastings..... <i>Peterborough</i> , E. R., Ont.	Leslie..... <i>York</i> , E. R., Ont.	*Quebec..... <i>Quebec</i> , Que.
Aldboro..... <i>Elgin</i> , Ont.	*Bothwell..... <i>Bothwell</i> , Ont.	*Clifton..... <i>Welland</i> , Ont.	Embro..... <i>Oxford</i> , S. R., Ont.	Hawkesville..... <i>Prescott</i> , Ont.	*Levis..... <i>Levis</i> , Que.	*Montreal..... <i>Montreal</i> , Que.
Alexandria..... <i>Glengarry</i> , Ont.	*Bowmanville..... <i>Durham</i> , W. R., Ont.	*Clinton..... <i>Huron</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Erie..... <i>Wellington</i> , S. R., Ont.	Hawkesville..... <i>Waterloo</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Lindsay..... <i>Victoria</i> , S. R., Ont.	Moore..... <i>Lambton</i> , Ont.
Albion..... <i>Albion</i> , N. S.	*Bracebridge..... <i>Muskoka</i> , Ont.	Clonsilla..... <i>Simcoe</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Exeter..... <i>Huron</i> , S. R., Ont.	Hemmingford..... <i>Huntingdon</i> , Que.	Lindsay..... <i>Cape Breton</i> , N. S.	*Newmarket..... <i>Simcoe</i> , Ont.
Allenford..... <i>Bruce</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Bradford..... <i>Simcoe</i> , S. R., Ont.	Coastcook..... <i>Quebec</i> , Que.	Farmersville..... <i>Leeds</i> , S. R., Ont.	Hillsborough..... <i>Albert</i> , N. B.	Listowel..... <i>Perth</i> , N. S.	*Morrishburg..... <i>Dundas</i> , Ont.
Allensville..... <i>Muskoka</i> , Ont.	Brasidie..... <i>Renfrew</i> , S. E., Ont.	*Cobourg..... <i>Northumberland</i> , E. R., Ont.	*Fenelon Falls..... <i>Victoria</i> , N. R., Ont.	Hillsburgh..... <i>Wellington</i> , S. B.	Little Grace Bay..... <i>Cape Breton</i> , N. S.	*Morrison..... <i>Wellington</i> , N. S.
Almonte..... <i>Lennox</i> , N. R., Ont.	Brampton..... <i>Peel</i> , Ont.	*Coldwater..... <i>Simcoe</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Fergus..... <i>Wellington</i> , C. R., Ont.	Holland Landing..... <i>York</i> , N. B.	Liverpool..... <i>Queen's</i> , N. S.	*Mount Brydges..... <i>Middlesex</i> , E. R., Ont.
Amherst..... <i>Cumberland</i> , N. S.	*Brantford..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R., Ont.	Collingwood..... <i>Simcoe</i> , N. S.	*Fingal..... <i>Elgin</i> , W. R., Ont.	Hollen..... <i>Wellington</i> , N. R., Ont.	Locks Port..... <i>Shamrock</i> , N. S.	*Mount Forest..... <i>Wellington</i> , N. R.
*Amherstburgh..... <i>Essex</i> , Ont.	*Bridgewater..... <i>Hastings</i> , N. R.	Colpoys Bay..... <i>Bruce</i> , N. R., Ont.	Five Islands..... <i>Colchester</i> , N. S.	Hopewell Cape..... <i>Albert</i> , N. B.	Londonderry..... <i>Colchester</i> , N. S.	Mount Vernon..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
Andover..... <i>Victoria</i> , N. B.	Bridgewater..... <i>Lunenburg</i> , N. S.	Columbus..... <i>Ontario</i> , S. R., Ont.	Fleisherton..... <i>Grey</i> , E. R., Ont.	*Hull..... <i>Ottawa</i> , Que.	Longueuil..... <i>Chamby</i> , Que.	
*Angus..... <i>Simcoe</i> , S. R., Ont.	Brigham..... <i>Brome</i> , Que.	Comber..... <i>Essex</i> , Ont.	*Florence..... <i>Wellington</i> , N. R.	*Huntingdon..... <i>Huntingdon</i> , Que.	Longwood..... <i>Middlesex</i> , S. R., Ont.	
Annapolis..... <i>Annapolis</i> , N. S.	Bright..... <i>Oxford</i> , N. S.	*Conestoga..... <i>Waterloo</i> , N. R., Ont.	Florenceville..... <i>Carleton</i> , N. B.	Indian Town..... <i>St. John</i> , N. B.	*L'Orignal..... <i>Prescott</i> , Ont.	
Annapolis..... <i>Antigonish</i> , N. S.	*Brighton..... <i>Northumberland</i> , E. R., Ont.	Consecon..... <i>Prince Edward</i> , Ont.	*Fontenelle..... <i>Monck</i> , Ont.	Ingersoll..... <i>Oxford</i> , S. R., Ont.	Lotbinière..... <i>Lotbinière</i> , Que.	
Appleton..... <i>Lennox</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Brookville..... <i>Brockville</i> , Ont.	Cookshire..... <i>Compton</i> , Que.	*Fontenelle..... <i>Monck</i> , Ont.	Invermay..... <i>Bruce</i> , N. R., Ont.	Lower Horton..... <i>King's</i> , N. S.	*Muir..... <i>Middlesex</i> , E. R., Ont.
Archat..... <i>Richmond</i> , N. S.	Brompton Falls..... <i>Richmond</i> , Que.	*Cookstown..... <i>Simcoe</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Frankford..... <i>Hastings</i> , W. R.	Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lunenburg..... <i>Lunenburg</i> , N. S.	*Murray Bay..... <i>Charlevoix</i> , Que.
Arkwright..... <i>Bruce</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Brooklin..... <i>Ontario</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Cornwall..... <i>Formosa</i> , Ont.	Franklin Centre..... <i>Huntingdon</i> , Que.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyn..... <i>Brookville</i> , Ont.	Nairn..... <i>Middlesex</i> , N. R., Ont.
Arkwright..... <i>Bruce</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Brussels..... <i>Durham</i> , E. R., Ont.	Cornwall..... <i>Formosa</i> , Ont.	Fredericton..... <i>York</i> , N. B.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	Nanticoke..... <i>Haldimand</i> , Ont.
*Arthur..... <i>Wellington</i> , N. R., Ont.	Bryson..... <i>Pontiac</i> , Que.	Coteau Landing..... <i>Soulanges</i> , Que.	*Freilighsburg..... <i>Missisquoi</i> , Que.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
Arva..... <i>Middlesex</i> , E. R., Ont.	*Buckingham..... <i>Ottawa</i> , Que.	Cowansville..... <i>Missisquoi</i> , Que.	Gagetown..... <i>Queen's</i> , N. B.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
Athlone..... <i>Cardwell</i> , Ont.	Buchanan..... <i>Kent</i> , N. B.	Cow Bay..... <i>Cape Breton</i> , N. S.	*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
Aultsville..... <i>Stormont</i> , Ont.	Burdorf..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R., Ont.	Craigshurst..... <i>Simcoe</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
*Aurora..... <i>York</i> , N. B.	Cacouna..... <i>Temiscouata</i> , Que.	Credit..... <i>Peel</i> , Ont.	*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
*Aylmer..... <i>King's</i> , N. S.	Caistorville..... <i>Monck</i> , Ont.	*Creemore..... <i>Simcoe</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
*Aylmer (West)..... <i>Elgin</i> , E. R., Ont.	Caletown..... <i>Cardwell</i> , Ont.	Cross Roads, Country Harbour, Guysborough, N. S.	*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
*Ayr..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	Caledon..... <i>Cardwell</i> , Ont.	Cumberland..... <i>Russell</i> , Ont.	*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
	Cambray..... <i>Victoria</i> , N. R., Ont.		*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
	Camlachie..... <i>Lambton</i> , Ont.		*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
	Campbellford..... <i>Northumberland</i> , E. R., Ont.		*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
	Campbellford..... <i>Northumberland</i> , E. R., Ont.		*Galt..... <i>Waterloo</i> , S. R., Ont.	*Inverness..... <i>Megantic</i> , Que.	Lyndoch..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N. R., Ont.	*Newburgh..... <i>Brant</i> , S. R.
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village was assented to on the 27th May, 1857. The first council elected consisted of the following persons: Donald Sutherland, Reeve; Geo. H. Bache, E. Jackson, William Roe, Wm. Wallis; Edwin P. Irwin, clerk; William Trent, treasurer. The officers for the year 1877 are: Erastus Jackson, Reeve; Silas Lundy, Dep. Reeve; David Lloyd, clerk and treasurer. There are seven churches in the village, two public schools, with five teachers, and a high school. This is a slightly conspicuous stone building on the summit of a hill, and the institution enjoys a high reputation for efficiency. Several manufactories exist in the place, as W. Cane & Son's saw mill, and manufacturer of building materials and various utensils of wood; James Allan, iron foundry; James Millard & Co., manufacturer of cabinet ware; S. Roadhouse, the same; J. W. Marsden, 2 flouring mills, with 11 run of stones, and S. T. Russell's woollen manufactory. The present population is at about 2,000.

Stouffville is situated on the line between Whitchurch and Markham and is a station on the T. & N. Railway. The name is taken from the original owner of the land, Abraham Stouffer. The name appears sometimes as Stover, and Stofer, and we find the place spoken of from time to time as Stoversville. It was incorporated in 1877. The first officers were: James Dougherty, Reeve; J. G. Reesor, Wm. Leaney, S. L. Freely, J. Gibney, councillors, H. W. Woodgate, clerk. Present officers—James Dougherty, Reeve; J. G. Reesor, S. L. Freely, James Faulless, T. H. Echaradt, councillors; H. W. Woodgate, clerk. There are six churches and one public school; two flouring mills belonging to Messrs. Wheeler and Reesor, and two sash and door manufactories. Population, about 800.

Ringwood is a small village a mile and a half west of Stouffville; northward from this about two miles is Lemonville, and two miles mostly west of Lemonville is Bethesda. In the 3rd con. is the White Rose P. O., and north of it, near the middle of the township, is the Petchville P. O.; directly east of this, near the T. & N. Railroad, is Ballantrae, where the township meetings are held; south-east in the 9th con. is Bloomington P. O.; two miles north is Vivian, P. O., and westward is Pine Orchard. Oak Ridges is on Yonge Street, and partly in King, 20 miles from Toronto. The village of Aurora is also on Yonge Street, and partly in King, in connection with which township it is more particularly referred to.

EAST GWILLIMBURY.

The city of Toronto and the surrounding country in a number of instances perpetuate the several names of the first Governor of Upper Canada. In Gwillimbury we have a name which commemorates the maiden name of his talented and noble consort. Her father, Mr. Gwillim was a distinguished soldier, and while acting aide-de-camp of Gen. Wolfe at Quebec, met a soldier's death with his brave chief. His daughter, the Governor's wife is described as being of small size, but "handsome and amiable," as "fulfilling all the duties of the mother and wife with the most scrupulous exactness; carrying the latter so far as to be of great assistance to her husband by her talent for drawing, the practice of which in relation to maps and plans, enabled her to be extremely useful to the Governor." She is remembered by her descendants for her "eminent Christian goodness, as well as for her artistic skill and taste, and superior intellectual endowment." Her death took place as recently as 1850. It is after this distinguished person that the three townships, East, West and North Gwillimbury are called.

The present limits of the county of York include the three townships of Gwillimbury, the East and North, the West forming a part of the county of Simcoe.

East Gwillimbury is bounded on the south by Whitchurch, on the east by the township of Scott, north by North Gwillimbury, and on the west by the northern part of King. It has nine concessions east of Yonge street, the last has only a few small lots, being a small gore; the 8th is also deficient in the northern half. There is also one concession west of Yonge street, which formerly was a part of West Gwillimbury. The east branch of the Holland river flows through the northern part of this concession, which is encroached upon by the large marsh. Gwillimbury was first surveyed by Stegman in 1800; Hambly in 1803; Wilmot surveyed the village in 1811. Surveyor Lount was also occupied in the township in 1819, Chewitt in 1824, Lindsay in 1859, Haller in 1864 and Gossage in 1865.

It will be observed that the north lot in the first concession east is numbered 130. This arises from the fact that the lots on both sides of Yonge St. are numbered in the first concessions without regard to township limits, beginning at the rear of the third con. from the bay, or northern boundary of what is called the bay block. In each of the townships, all the concessions besides the first are numbered independently.

The first patentees taken from the Domesday Book.—First concession East side of Yonge street, Lot 96, Nehemiah Hide, 1804; 97, Thomas Young, 1803; 98, Obadiah Griffin, 1805; 99, Theodore Wine, 1804, 100, H. Proctor, 1855; 101, Nathan Farr, 1804, 102, Bela Clark, 1805; 103, Obadiah Huff, 1805; 104, Elisha Mitchell, 1805, 105, Bernard Velie, 1805, 106, Jos. Pearson, 1804; 107, John Dunham, 1705; 108, Samuel Dean, 1809; 109, Peter Robinson, 1816; 110, Joseph Johnson, 1817; 112 up to 121, patented in 1865 and up to 130; patented in 1872-4. 2nd con. 1-2, Timothy Rogers, 1804; 3, Robt. Culverwell, 1850; 3, Texty Weller, 1842; Chas. Kinsey, 1846, 4, Obadiah Griffin, 1805; 5, Hy. Proctor, 1805; 7, Isaac Kitly, 1805; 8, Jcs. Hill, 1802; 9, Samuel Hughes, 1833; 10, David Willson, 1805; 11, Joseph Sutherland, 1805; 13, Thos. Selby, 1812; 14, John Weddle, 1801; 15, Abijah Mack, 1803; 16, Wm. H. Wilson, 1843; 16, Benj. O. N. Lyster, 1840; 17, Ebenezer Weller, 1801; 18, Joel Bigelow, 1802; 19, Reu. Richardson, 1802; 20, Elijah Welch, 1800; 22, Elijah Robinson, 1801; 23, Peter Anderson, 1807; 24, Wm. Pegg, 1847; 25 Frederick Harrick 1804; 27, Jno. McKay, 1835; 28, Conrad Gostman, 1807; 35, Sarah Grant, 1808. 3rd con. 1, Timothy Rogers, 1804; 2, Radselar McCarthy, 1828; 2, Moses Knight, 1829; Geo. McCarthy, 1828; 3, Jacob Johnson, 1804; 4, Adam Lepard, 1804; 6, Wm. Howard, 1804; 7, Wm. Huff, 1804; 8, John Doan, sr., 1831; 9, Humphrey Finch, 1809; 10, Abijah Mack, 1803; 12, Calvin Washburne, 1807; 13, John Hodgson, 1805; 14, Peter H. Vanderburgh, 1805; 15, Ebenezer Doan, 1831; Wm. H. Wilson, 1847; 15, John Bromer, 1845; 19, John Fitus, 1813; 19, Esther Frisbee, 1803; 19, Samuel Haight, 1802; 19, A. Howard, 1802; 20, Jeremiah Traviss, 1805; 22, Levy Vaubleck, 1803; 23, Wm. Pegg; 24, Josiah Hemingway; 25, David Ebbins; 25, George Hobone; 26, Catharine St. Clair; 27, Eliza Arnold; 29, Eliza Bell; 30, Simeon Sherman; 31, John Ebbins, 32, Peter Anderson, 33, Eve Wintermute; 35, Jacob Wintermute. 4th Con. 1-2, Philip Phillips; 3, Jno. Ebbins, Jas. Ebbins; 4-5, Wyant Williams; 7, Isaac Rogers; 8, Isaac Pegg; 9, Wm. Purdy; 9, Isaih B. Rogers; 10, Benj. Perry; 11, Matt Mill; 13, Wm. Dunham; 14, Robt. Briggs; 15, Richard Graham; 16, Arthur Wellington Ebbins, Jno. Thos Stokes; 17, Thos. Dunham; 18, Daniel Travis, 1802; 21, Geo. Holinshead, 1803; 22, Philip Chinger, 1805; 23, Jno. Emes, 1803; 25, Job Cogsele, 1805; 26,

Jacob Lepard 1804; 28, Henry Lepard, 1807; 29, Jessie Bennet, 1804; 31, Jessie Ketchum 1805; 32, Zebulon Ketchum, 1804; 34, Peter Emery, 1805; 35, Daniel Cox, 1822. 5th Con. 1, Richard Banks, 1805; 2, Samuel Johnson, 1833; 2, Jno. Weddel, 1833; 3-4, Jean Louis Vi-Comte de Chaleu, 1809; 6, Catherine Smith, 1806; 7, Thos. Price, 1805; 8, Wm. Elmer, 1848; 9, Christian Hershey, jr., 1805; 10, Henry Huber, 1805; 12 Fredrick Ashbough 1805; 13, Mary Parry, 1806; 14, Elizabeth Laughlan, 1806; 16, Andrew McGlashan, 1806; 17, J. B. Spragge, 1840; 18, Joseph Dolinger, 1805; 20, Avery Stiles, 1805; 22, Thos. Leighton, 1843; 23, Augustus House, 1805; 24, Geo. Buck, 1805; 25, Jno. Johnson, 1807; 26, Philip Buck, 1805; 27-8, Daniel Cox, 1822; 29, Mary Adams, 1806; 32, Catherine Pallit, 1806; 33-4, D. Cox, 1822. 6th Con. 1, Anna Connor, 1805; 2, Mary Kreen, 1806; 4, Catherine Rood, 1806; 5, Catharine Ronset 1805; 7, Elsy Sherrard, 1806; 8, Nancy Barnum, 1806; 10, Rebecca Chrysdale, 1806; 11, Ann Hoiks, 1806; 13, Elizabeth Harriss, 1806; 15, Sarah Storer, 1806; 17, Jane Huffman, 1806; 19, Ann Tiffany, 1808; 21, Elizabeth Beech, 1806; 22-3, Rachael Woolcutal, 25, Nancy Black, 1806; 26, Samuel Pickel, 1806; 28, Daniel Cox, 1822; 39, Catherine Elsworth, 1806; 31, Phoebe Cornwall, 1806; 32, D. Cox, Lot 34, Mary Robben, 1806; 35, D. Cox. 7th Con. 1, Jas. McCaul, 1806; 3-4, Wm. Coldwell, 1807; 6-7, Robt. Nichol, 1806; 9, Hermanas House, 1807; 10, Lewis House, 1807; 12-13-14, Le Chevalier de Marcul, 1805; 16, John Secord, jr., 1808; 17, Benj. Dunham 18, Henry Zufelt, 1808; 19, Nathaniel Sherrard, 1812; 20, Eunice Scoris, 1812; 22, J. Ozburn, 1808; 23, Mary Brown, 1808; 24, Rachael Brown, 1808; 26-7, D. Cox, 29, J. Ozburn, 30-32-33, Geo. Bond, 1808. 8th Con. 1, Jas. Pettibon, 1806; 2, Jno. Hall, 1807; 3, Jno. Weddel, 1833; 4, Nathanel Dennis, 1808; 5, Chas. Hill, 1806; 7, Benjamin Mosley, 1806; 8, Elijah Howley, 1806; 9, Wm. Hutall, 1819; 9, Henry Shuttleworth, 1819; 10, Jas. Kinsey, 1807; 11-14, Edward Foreman, 1817; 15, Wm. Coldwell, 1807; 16, Jno. Snarr, 1849; Catharine Bisenbery, 1808; 19, Le Chevalier de Marseul, 1807; 21-2-3, Jas. Ozburn, 1808; 25-6, Wm. Anderson, 1802; 26, Nathanel Sherrard, 1812. 9th Con. 1, Gideon Veron, 1812; 2, Geo. Heron, 1846; 3, Peter Anderson, 1807; Lots from 4 to 12, Gideon Veron. Yonge Street west side formerly West Gwillimbury, 1st Con. 96, Obadiah Rogers, 1835; 97, Nathaniel Gager, 1805; 98, Bethnel Huntley, 1805; 99, Wm. Phillips, 1805; 100, Ephraim Talbut, 1804; 101, Daniel Wilson, 1805; 102, Stephen Howard, 1805; 103, Josiah Coolige, 1803; 104, Geo. Cutter, 1803; 105, Jeremiah Moore, jr., 1803; 106, Jacob Reer, jr., 1803; 107, Edward Taylor Collins, 1803; 108, Jno. Eves, 1803; 109, Jno. Benedick, 1808; 110, Thos. Gibbs, and T. J. O'Neill, 1855; 111-12-13-14, Wm. Hawkins, 1850; 117, Wm. Langhton, 1846; 118-19, Amos West, 1811.

MUNICIPAL RECORDS.

We regret our inability to obtain a complete history of many of the townships. But we have availed ourselves of such records as were placed before us at the office of the township Clerks. Much older records of this township than we had access to, probably exist or have been allowed to perish, and it is a misfortune that documents relating to the first years are not carefully preserved for the use of coming generations, who will place a higher estimate upon such materials of history, than is attached to them by some of the present day. We found evidence of the early organization of the township in the back part of one of the Minute books, where was transcribed "the Records of Ear Marks for Sheep, Cattle, Hogs," for the inhabitants of East Gwillimbury for the year, 1804;

The earliest record we obtained was "the first book of the proceedings of the Township Commissioners, agreeable to an Act of the Provincial Legislature passed 1835." "Township Officers, Board of Commissioners, met Jan. 16, 1836; Samuel Hughes, John H. Wilson, John Fletcher, Commissioners, John Weddel Town Clerk." The 2nd year 1837, J. H. Wilson, Wm. Nelson, Levi P——, Jno. Weddell, T. C. 1838, R. F. Nelson, Chairman; J. Weddell, T. C.; Jas. Aylwood, Assessor; Jno. H. Wilson, Collector; Israel Lundy, Finlay McFarlane, Jno. Fletcher, 1739, Wm. Nelson Chairman; Weddel T. C.; Moses Knight, Assessor; Jno. Terry, Collector; Irah Tyson, Geo. Foster, T. W. 1840, W. Nelson, Chairman; Weddell, T. C.; David Terry, Assessor; Jno. Reed, Collector; Wm. Sloan, Peter Rowan, Wm. G. Dunham, 1841, W. Nelson, Chairman; Weddell T. C.; W. Nelson, Assessor; Joseph Pegg, Collector; T. R. Wakefield, Jno. D. Wilson, F. McFarlane. 1842, Hugh D. Wilson, Wm. Nelson, District Councillors; Wm. Reed, sr. Chairman; Weddell, T. C.; Jno. Atkinson, David Terry, Jno. Maguire. 1843, Wm. Nelson, Chairman; Weddell, T. C.; Maguire, Assessor; Jacob Belfrey, Collector; Joseph Biscac, Jesse Ovan, D. Fletcher. 1844, Nelson, Chairman; Moses Knight, District Commissioner; Weddell, T. C.; Amos Tool, Assessor; Jas. Evans, Collector. 1845, Nelson Chairman; Samuel Harrold District Commissioner; Weddell, T. C.; J. Terry, Assessor; Wm. Reed, Collector. 1846, W. Nelson, Ch.; H. D. Wilson, T. C.; Wm. Reed, Ass.; Amos Tool, Coll. 1847, W. Nelson, Ch.; H. D. Wilson, T. C.; J. Maguire, Assessor; Jno. Reed, Collector; Moses Knight, District Commissioners, 1841, Meeting held at Caleb Briggs in Sharon; Nelson, Chairman; Wilson, T. C.; Elijah Dunham, Assessor; Abraham Doan, Collector; Samuel Harrold, District Commissioners' 1849, Moses Knight, Chairman; Wilson, T. C.; Chas. Haines, Assessor; Christopher Belfrey, Collector; Edwin Praskte; Jno. Fletcher, Wm. Sheppard, I. D.; Wilson, T. Wardens. In 1850, Wm. Nelson, was elected Reeve; Jno. H. Wilson, Thos. Brothers, Jesse Doan, Wm. Millar, H. D. Wilson, T. C. On the 3rd Jan. Wm. Moore, was elected Township Clerk. 1851, Joshua Harrison, Reeve; R. T. Wilson, M. Knight, Harry D. Stiles, Chas. Traviss. 1852, R. J. Wilson, Reeve; Chas. Traviss; D. Reeve. 1853, Henry D. Stiles, Reeve; J. R. Harrison, Deputy Reeve. For the year 1854, Henry D. Stiles, Reeve; Moses Knight, Deputy Reeve. 1855, Stiles, Reeve; R. Powell, Deputy Reeve. 1857, Stiles, Reeve; Powell, Reeve. 1858, Stiles, Reeve; McLeod, Deputy Reeve. 1859, McLeod, Reeve; Eves, Dep. R.; 1860, Wm. D. McLeod; Reeve, Geo. Hulham, Deputy Reeve. 1861 Jas. Panham, Reeve. Geo. Hulburn, Deputy Reeve. The clerk was paid his usual salary, £44. 1862, Jas. Panham, R.; Geo. Hulburn, D. R. 1863, Jas. Panham, R.; Jesse Doan, D. R. 1864, Jas. Panham, R.; J. Doan, D. R. 1865, J. Panham, R.; Shuttleworth, D. R. 1866, J. Panham, R. J. Doan, D. R. 1867, J. Panham, R.; J. Doan, D. R. 1868, J. Doan, R. Mosier, W. Cane, D. R. 1869, W. Cane, R.; Wilson Reid, D. R. 1870, J. Panham, R.; Mosier, D. R. 1871, Cane, R.; Reid, D. R. 1872, Cane, R.; Reed, D. R. 1873, Cane, R.; Reed and Mosier, D. R. 1874, Cane, R.; Mosier, D. R. 1875, Mosier, R.; Reed and Rowen, D. R. 1876, Jno. Ramsden, R.; W. W. Pegg, 1st D. R.; A. J. Hughes, 2nd D. R. 1877, Wm. H. Rowen, R.; W. W. Pegg, 1st D. R.; Traviss, 2nd D. R.

The officers for 1878 are Wm. H. Rowen, Reeve; W. W. Pegg, 1st D.R. Chas. Traviss, 2nd D.R. Wilfred Woodruff, Robinson Long; J. Holburn, Councillors. The present Township Clerk, John T. Stokes, has occupied the place for the last 23 years.

VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST GWILLIMBURY FOR 1878.

Owners	639
Tenants	306
Farmers Sons	46
Total	1021

Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of East Gwillimbury for 1877.

Total receipts from Taxes, Fines, and Interest, &c.....	5,478.00
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	7,072.00

Excess of disbursements over receipts....	\$1,594.00
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JOHN QUIRELL,
JAMES COWIESON, } AUDITORS.

TAXES LEVIED FOR 1877.

County Tax.....	1,987.79
Township School and Special Tax.....	2,490.00
Dog Tax.....	269.00
Non-resident Tax.....	644.24

Total.....	\$5,391.03
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HOLLAND LANDING.—This the principal village in this township has already been referred to. Holland was the first Surveyor-General, and here was the landing place of Indians and white voyagers for many years. It is the terminus of Yonge street north, and 82 miles from Toronto. It is an interesting place, because of its historical associations. Being a station on the Northern railroad, it is more speedily reached than in olden time. It was incorporated in 1861. The first Reeve, was W. D. McLeod, for 1862-63; R. T. Wilson, 1864; B. Thorne, 1865; R. F. Wilson, 1866; R. T. Wilson, 1867; B. Thorne 1868; B. J. Thorne, 1869, to 1877; W. H. Thorne, 1878. The Government reserved on the Holland river an oblong square. In the northern part, or what was designated as the Lower Landing, was surveyed a village plot, where were a number of buildings and a sort of fort named Gwillimbury, a name it now bears.

SHARON.—East of Holland Landing on the road dividing the 2nd and 3rd concessions, is the village of Sharon. It is north of Newmarket about four miles and while Holland Landing was the terminus of Yonge street the road to and northward from Sharon was an extension of the main thoroughfare to the northern part of the county until the construction of the T. & N. R. R. It continues, however, to be the line of stage travel and is a capital road, through a finely cultivated region. Sharon, as one approaches the place presents a very striking appearance from the presence of the conspicuous temple and meeting house of the "Children of Peace."

David Willson, the great notability and founder of the place, departed this life in 1866, aged eighty-nine years and seven months. He was always highly respected and looked up to as a kind of Oracle. He had been in his younger days a sailor, and as such, had visited the Chinese ports. After joining the Quakers, he taught for a time amongst them as a school master. For some proceeding of his, or some peculiarity of religious opinion, difficult to define, he was cut off from the Hicksite sub-division of the Quaker body. He then began the formation of a denomination of his own: In the bold policy of giving to his personal ideas, an outward embodiment, in the form of a conspicuous Temple, he anticipated the shrewd prophets of the Mormons, Joseph and Hiram Smith. Willson's building was erected about 1825. Nauvoo was not commenced until the spring of 1840.

The son of the founder, now about 10 years old, continues to fill the place held by the father. We believe the number is not so large as formerly. The band connected with the Temple is, we believe, the oldest in Canada, and has long enjoyed a high reputation.

QUEENSVILLE is on the main road a few miles north of Sharon; Hartman is situated in the south-east corner of the township. Mount Albert is a station on the Nipissing R. R., which runs through the township in the eastern part. The population is about 350. Holt P. O. is about a mile west of Mount Albert. Ravenshoe is at the northern boundary in the 5th Con.

NORTH GWILLIAMBURY.

The township consists of 8 concessions and fronts westward on Cook's Bay, although the line of Yonge street is supposed to be the front. But the street terminates in the Holland Marsh, and the Bay a short distance from southern line of the township; and with the exception of a lot or two of marsh, the first concession lies in Cook's Bay. The second concession is incomplete and forms a broken front along the bay; in fact the bay at one point encroaches on the third concession. From the front of the 4th concession, on Lake Simcoe, there is one concession fronting on the lake. This is known as the lake concession. The 8th concession is also incomplete, having less depth in the north. This arises from the front corresponding with the line of Yonge street, while the rear line is directly north and south.

The following are the early patentees as found in the Domesday Book: Lake Concession lot, 1, Peter Anderson, 1807; 2 Silas B. Fourbouson, 1862; 3-4, P. Anderson, 6-7-9-10, Hon. Jas. Baby, 1804; 12, Calvin Ennes, 1806; 12, P. Anderson, 13, Joseph Quarry, 1806; 14, Ira Gardiner, 1806; 14, P. Anderson, 15, Thos. Mossington, 1836; 16, Quetton de Saint George, 1806; 18, Jean Louis Vicomte de Chaleurs, 1808; 20, Margaret McDonnell, 1821. First concession, all of which are blanks except 3 and 4, upon which is John Gaedike, 1857. Second concession, Wm. Powell, 1828; 4, Jno. Small, 1807; 15, Arad Smalley, 1842; 17, Isaac Willcox, 1803; 18, Garrett Vanzante, 1803; 20, Darius Mann, 1820; 21, Alex. Kennedy, 1825; 22, Jas. Roche, 1808; 22, Antoine Lapalme or Lapan 1803; 25, Ephraim Holland Payson, 1840; Third concession, Samuel Lawrence, 1806; 2, Lewis Fontaine, 1835; 3, Antoine German Bertrand, 1804; 4-7, John Small, 1807; 6, Wm Smalley 1804; 6, Rev. Jno. Roaf, 1840; 7, Edward Heazel, 1806; 10, Henry E. Nichols, 1828; 12, James Roche, 1803; 13, Margaret Munday, 1808; 14, Isaac Griffin, 1804; 15, Arad Smalley, 1842; 15, David Sprague, 1833; 17, Isaac Willcox, 1803; 17-18-19, Andrew Bigham, 1808; 18, Garrett Vanzante, 1803; D. 18, Mann, 1815; 20, Peter Anderson, 1820; Darius Mann, 1820; 21, A. Kennedy, 1825; 22, Benjamin Reynolds; 1806; 22, Jas. Roche, 1808; 23, Alex. Wood, 1807; 24, John Mardoff, 1804; Rev. Jno. Roaf, 1840; 26, Sarah Foder, 1808; 27, Ann Woodcock, 1803; 29-30, Ely McDonnell, 1818. Fourth concession, 1 Rachael Wolcot et al., 1823; 2, Levi Bales, 1805, 4, Alice Cook, 1806; 5, D. Cox, 1822; 7, Mary Rogers, 1806; 8 D. Cox, 10, J. B. Sprague, 1840; 10, Cornelius Ryckman, 1806; 10, Joseph Willson, 1806; 11, Catharine Wesbour, 1806; 13, Magdalene Allair, 1806; 14, Wm. Garner, 1805, 15, Fred. Sprague, 1805; 16, Elisha Mitchell,

1836; 16, Jno. Winch, 1828; 17-18-19, Hon. Jno. Baby, 1804; 21, Fred-erick Augustus Goring, 1806; 22, Eliz. Veemer, 1806; 23, Alex. Wood, 1807. Fifth concession, 1, Eliz. Forfar, 1806; 2, Wm. Mesin, 1846; 3, Benj. Cozens, 1806; 4, D. Cox, 1722; 6, Simon Montross, 1806; 9, David Bishop Warren, 1807; 10, Jas. Gromer, 1806; 12-14, D. Cox, lot 13, Ann Sherrard, 1807; 15 Andrew Willoughby, 1847, 16, Rev. Patrick, 1806; 17-18-19-20-23, Hon. Jas. Baby, 1804. Sixth concession, lot 1-5-8-14, D. Cox; 2, Jas. Ozburn; 3 to 7, Lt.-Col. Augustin Boiton, 1807; 10, Lina Curlett, 1808; 11, Catharine Osborne, 1808; 13, J. Ozburn; 25, John Burch, Jas. Rose, 1839; Geo. Tomilson, 1845; 17-18, Le Chevalier de Monseul, 1807; Jno. Conrad Miller, 1807; 22.23, Jas. Davidson, 1807. Seventh Concession, 1-4-9-12-14, D. Cox; Levi Sherwood, 1808; 6-7, George Bond, 1808; 17-18-19-20, Jas. Ozburn, 18-16, Le Chevalier de Monseul; 22, Samuel Moody, Kinsal, 1808. Eighth concession, 1-2-4-5, Jean Louis Vicomte de Chalus, 1808; 13-14, Esther Dennison, 1809; 17 to 28, J. Ozburn, 1800.

The subjoined extracts from the township records were obtained by the favour of the township clerk, Mr. Draper.

"The number of the inhabitants in the township of North Gwillimbury and Georgina for the year 1821, two hundred and seventy-two." The number in 1822, was 314; for 1823, 339, "List of Town officers for the townships of North Gwillimbury and Georgina for the year 1822. Arad Smalley, Town Clerk; Holland H. Payson, Alexander Lawson, Assessors; Joshua Uller, Collector; Erastus Smalley, Asa Crittenden Geo. Williams; Daniel Mann, Zenas Hentley, Fountain D. Hunter, Wm. Carter, Path Masters, Silas Emes and Loal Hale, Pound-keepers; Wm. Crittenden and Jos. Lile, Town Wardens." "Hogs not allowed to run at large, horses are allowed to run at large, fence to be five feet high." In 1823 the minutes "were transferred for the approval of the Quarter Sessions." Arad Smalley was T. C.; Asa Smalley, Benj. Jefferson, Ass.; H. Payson, Coll.; Joel Draper, Simeon Martin, T. W. This year the horses are not allowed to run at large. 1824. Arad Smalley, T. C.; Ellis Willoughby, Jas. Donald, sen., Ass.; Noah Gager, coll.; Jacob Draper J. Donald T. W. 1825. A. Smalley, T. C.; N. Gager, Benjamin Jefferson, Ass.; David Sprague, Coll.; John Comer, Squire Martin, T. W. 1826, A. Smalley, T. C.; D. Sprague, Alexander Lawson, Ass.; Silas Emes, Coll.; Geo. Williams, Wm. Millar, T. W. "Hogs not allowed to run at large, horses not, sheep to be shut up." From this date the proceedings relate to North Gwillimbury alone. 1827, A. Smalley, T. C.; Silas Emes, Ass.; John Prossor, Coll.; Joel Draper, Daniel Mann, T. W. 1828, David Sprague, T. C.; John Prossor, Noah Gager, Ass.; John Prossor, Coll.; Jas. Crittenden, Ephraim W. Payson, T. W. "Hogs not allowed to run at large." 1829, D. Sprague, T. C.; E. H. Payson, Martin Wariner, Ass.; E. W. Payson, Coll.: David Sprague, Noah Gager, T. W. Fence to be five feet high, well proportioned, built of logs or rails. Hogs not allowed to run from the first day of May to the middle of Oct., and the rest of the year to be free commoners. Boars and rams allowed to be altered by any person, if found off the owners inclosure." 1830, D. Sprague, T. C.; Lucius Micol, Zenas Huntley, Ass.; John M. Comer, Coll.; Jos. Rose, Martin Wariner, T. W. 1831, D. Sprague, T. C.; J. L. Comer, Ellis Willoughby, Ass.; J. L. Comer, Coll.; J. Rose, Squire Martin, T. W. 1832, D. Sprague, T. C.; J. L. Comer, Ed. Shepard, Ass.; J. L. Comer, Coll.; Abraham Sedore, Austin Huntley, T. W. 1833, D. Sprague, T. C.; E. H. Payson, J. L. Comer, Ass.; J. L. Comer, Coll.; U. Gager, Joel Draper, T. W.; 1834, D. Sprague, T. C.; J. L. Comer, Isaac Bennett, Ass.; J. Bennett, Coll.; Silas Emes, Israel Bennett, T. W. 1835, D. Sprague, T. C.; I. Bennett, J. Ross, Ass.; I. Bennett, Coll.; J. Ross, E. Willoughby, T. W. For 1836 we find that D. Sprague, B. W. Smith, Jno. Prossor, Justin Halfield, were commissioners, who having been sworn I. Bennett was appointed Assessor and Collector; Ralph Smalley, Overseer of Highways, for neglecting to be sworn was fined £1 currency. The commissioners met the third Saturday in Jan. at Richard Mann's. It was ordered among other things that a pound-keeper shall be entitled to demand and receive the following fees. 2/6 for receiving and discharging each horse, or cow, bull and all young cattle; 6d. for each hog or sheep. The first-class shall be fed 28 pounds of hay each day, for which the pound-keeper shall receive 1/3. Sheep shall be fed 3 lbs of hay, hogs 2 quarts of peas or other grain, for which he is to receive 5s. per bushel; for advertising 1/6. The Council met 26th April at the house of B. W. Smith. A written demand for the township money was ordered to be served on Arad Smalley. Complaint was made that Arad Smalley's fence obstructed the road and a notice was ordered to be served on him to remove the same. June 8, 1836. "Received of the treasurer of the Home Districts £8 5s. of Road money, received by me D. Sprague, T. C." On the first Saturday in July the T. C. "went to Rich. Mann's and no commissioners met." At the last meeting of the year a number of defaulters for not performing Statute Labour, were discharged. 1837, D. Sprague, T. C.; Justis Hatfield, Isaac Bennett, Peter Bilder, Com.; E. H. Payson, Ass. and Coll. "The next meeting to be held at Isaac Bennett's dwelling house." Council met. "Received of the Governor of the Home District £1 17s. 9d.; money not expended last year £1 8s. Paid the Commissioners orders, £3 0s. 9d." The following noticeable item we find on a piece of note paper attached to the minute book. "Monday 1st Jan, 1838. In consequence of the rebellion which broke out on the 4th of last March, no township meeting took place this day. The township officers of last year therefore remain in their various offices during the year, David Sprague, Town Clerk." The minutes under date of 1839 have the declaration of office of the several officers, in which they do sincerely promise and declare that they will faithfully and diligently perform the duties of their respective offices. The next record is of "a special session of the magistrates for the Division of North Gwillimbury and Georgina held at North Gwillimbury on 16th April, 1838, signed Arad Smalley, J. P., and Mr. Mossington, J. P. 1839, the proceedings of the township of North Gwillimbury, E. Sprague, sen., T. C.; Isaac Bennett, Ass. and Coll.; Oliver Barton, N. Gager, D. Sprague, sen., T. W. There was a special service of magistrates of the same division; present, Arad Smalley, Jas. D. Boucher, of Georgina, Thos. Mossington and Simeon See, J. P. 1840, D. Sprague, sen. T. C. J. Bennett, Ass. and Coll.; Silas Emes, J. Bennett, G. D. Erls, W. Received of Treasurer H. D., £10 16s. 4d. Paid Peter Rowan, for 3 tp., £16 14s. 1841; D. Sprague, T. C.; J. Bennett, Ass. & Coll.; D. Sprague sen., Geo. D. Earl, T. W. 1842, David Dawson, T. C.; Edward Sheppard, Ass. & Coll.; Carbett, Silas, Emes, Geo. W. Chipperfield, Wardens. "Received of Mr. Sprague, (late township Clerk) the balance of township money remaining in his hands from the year 1841, 1/1; from the Trea. H. D. the amount of non-resident tax money for N. Gwillimbury for 1842, £16, 18s. 9d. signed, D. Dawson, T. C. 1843, D. Dawson, T. C.; E. Sheppard, Ass. & Coll.; G. D. Earls, Chipperfield, Bennett, T. W. 1844, Dawson, T. C. Sheppard, Ass. & Coll.; Chipperfield, N. Gager, D. Sprague, sen., T. W. "In pursuance of a notice from the Clerk of the Home District Council,

dated the 14th Dec. 1843; requiring the election of a Councilman for this township, it was proposed at the annual town meeting by Arch. McMillin, Sec. by D. Spragin, sen., that Isaac Bennett, be the Councilman for the year, which was unanimously agreed to, signed C. Barton, Chairman. 1845, Dawson, T. C.; Sheppard, Ass. & Coll.; H. Huntly, Austin Huntly, Simeon Huntly, T. W. 1846, Dawson, T. C.; Sheppard Ass. & Coll.; T. Mossington, Israel Sheppard, J. Chippenfield, T. W. 1847, Dawson T. C.; Thos. Williams, Ass. & Coll.; Cornelius Silver, Wm. E. T. Corbett, G. Earls, T. W. David Sprague, sr. was appointed township Clerk, in the place of the late Mr. Dawson, deceased. At the Town meeting 4th Jan. J. Bennett was elected Councilman; Oliver Barton, M. D. Chairman, 1848, D. Sprague, T. C.; J. Williams, Ass. & Coll. Jno. Prossor, Hugh H. Wilson, Silas Emes, T. W. 1849, D. Sprague, T. C.; Sheppard Ass. & Coll.; Nickolay Bennett, Rob. Anderson, D. Sprague, sr. T. W. In 1850, we have the "Minutes of the Municipal Council, Township of N. Gwillimbury," first meeting 22nd Jan. The Council met at Dughill School-house, the Reeve in the Chair, present Messrs. Prosser, Sheppard, Morton, Isaac Bennett, Reeve; Sprague, comprising the Council; R. Sheppard, T. C. 1851, Mossington, Reeve; Sheppard T. C. At a Court of Revision this year," the following took the oath, Arad Sheppard, Silas Emes ———, Wm. Henderson, sworn before me on the 18th April W. B. Terry, T. Clerk." There is also a minute that application was made by Richard Sheppard, T. C. that R. H. Emes do act as Clerk, *pro tem*; and he took the oath, Cephas, Good, Trea. 1852, Council met at Hiram Moors Tavern. The township is now divided into 5 wards, Councilmen, for Ward 1, Jno. Winch, 2, Joel Draper sr., 3, D. Sprague, 4, J. Morton, 5, Jno. Prosser, Reeve; R. Sheppard, jr., T. C. H. Draper, Trea. 1853, D. Sprague, Reeve; R. Sheppard, T. C.; H. Draper, Treas. 1854, D. Sprague jr., Reeve; R. Sheppard, T. C. & Trea. 1855, Jno. Morton, Reeve. 1856, D. Sprague, Reeve. 1857, D. B. Willson, Reeve. 1858, D. Sprague, jr. Reeve. 1859, Thos. Evans, Reeve. 1860, Wm. Henry, Reeve; 1861, T. Evans Reeve. 1862, Jno. Morton, Reeve. 1863, Henry Draper, R.; 1864, D. Sprague, R.; 1865, Wm. Henry, R.; Geo. Fry, T. C. 1866-67-68-69, Henry Draper, R. 1866, Jno Fairbank, T. C. 1868, W. B. Terry, T. C. 1870, Jno. Marritt, R.; also 1871-72-73 74; the last year T. Bennit, Dep. R. 1875, Elijah Prosser, Reeve; Jno. Sprague, Deputy R. 1876, J. Marritt, Reeve; T. Bennet, D. R. 1877, Bennett, Reeve, R. A. Wyndham, D. R.

The officers for 1878, are, Willard Bennett, Reeve, Thos. Scott, Deputy Reeve; Thos. Glover, Chas. Travis, Joshua Willoughby, Councilmen; Geo. White, Assessor; Thos Glover, jr., Collector; Treasurer, Elijah Prosser; Jas. Baily and Thos. Smith, Auditors The meetings are now for ten years past held at Belhaven, about three miles from Keswick.

Mr. Henry Draper, the present township Clerk, has held the position since 1871, and we have to express our great obligation to this gentleman for his kindness and aid in procuring the facts above given. The Draper family were among the first settlers in the township, north of Keswick Here Jacob Draper an Englishman, who had lived in Pennsylvania, settled in 1811, and here Henry Draper was born some 63 years ago. He has three brothers living, John, Joel, and Luther. The last two are Ministers of the Episcopal Methodist Church.

In the township are now 8 Churches, and 7 School houses. The products of the soil are principally wheat and barley. There are no manufacturing factories.

North Gwillimbury is delightfully situated, being partially surrounded by water, and forming with Georgina the Northern part of the County. Bounded on the south by East Gwillimbury, on the east by Georgina, and north and west by Lake Simcoe, and Cooks Bay, it enjoys advantages in natural scenery which no other township possesses. The surface of the land is gently undulating with well cultivated fields comfortable and often superior dwellings, substantial and extensive barns, and out houses. The roads are generally excellent, and a drive within view of the Lake, is in summer one to be desired and remembered. From Sutton in Georgina, there is a daily stage by way of Belhaven, Keswick, Jersey, Queensville, and Sharon to Newmarket. Belhaven where the township meetings are held, sometimes called Plug Mount, is a small village containing about 100 inhabitants. Keswick is pleasantly situated on the summit of the highland overlooking Cooks Bay to the west. The original owner of the land where the village is situated was Arad Smalley, whose name is intimately associated with the history of the township. The village was originally called Medina. North of the village about three miles on the point which marks the entrance to Cooks Bay from Lake Simcoe is a village plot, known now as Roach's Point. This was formerly designated Keswick, and formed a very sightly and beautiful place of abode during the summer season. The place instead of advancing has declined, and a few years ago the Post office which had been established here was removed to Medina, but retaining the same name. Consequently the name Medina is no longer applied, but Keswick. The road from Keswick to Roach's Point, so named after the original owner, and out along the north shore of the township is very agreeable. Keswick has a population of some 150. It has no tavern, even if there was no Dunkin Act in force, and no place of public entertainment; but we can from personal knowledge affirm that the traveller will not want for necessities. South of Keswick about a mile and a half is the village of Jersey. The road North and South is not quite straight, but follows the course of the high banks along the bay. To the east is a road the course of which is angular, extending from the north eastern part of the township, and passing into East Gwillimbury, at Ravenshoe. This was the route of travel to Yonge street of the early pioneers.

VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GWILLIMBURY FOR 1878.	
Owners	335
Tenants	186
Farmers Sons	13
Householders	1
Income Tax Voters	1

Total	536
<i>Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of North Gwillimbury for 1877.</i>	

Balance on hand from 1876	\$ 1,141.35
Total receipts from Taxes, Licenses and Miscellaneous items for 1877	3,443.75
Total disbursements for all purposes	4,194.46

Excess of disbursements over receipts... \$ 750.71

JAMES BAILEY, } AUDITORS.
THOS. SMITH, }

TAXES LEVIED FOR 1877.

Township Taxes	2,581.25
County Tax, (including County School Tax \$340)	1,212.00
Non-resident Tax	123.25
Dog Tax	112.00

Total

\$4,058.50

TOWNSHIP OF GEORGINA.

The township of Georgina, according to the original plan in the surveyor-general's office, was laid out by surveyor Duncan McDonald in 1817, under the instructions of Thos. Ridout, surveyor-general. It is situated in the rear of the township of Scott, with North Gwillimbury on the west and Lake Simcoe on the north. It has eight concessions fronting southward, the eighth upon the lake, being imperfect with a broken rear. The first patents issued to the settlers are dated 1819, though doubtless pioneers had entered prior to that time.

With respect to the name, it is recorded that Gov. Simcoe intended to give the name of Georgina to the Capital, had he founded it there, on the river Thames, where London now is situated, in honor of George III. Georgian Bay has the same derivation, as well as the township under consideration.

ORIGINAL LAND OWNERS.

1st con. 1-2-3 have been patented at a late date, while we shall limit the names to those patented prior to 1850. 3-5 Alex. Robbins, 1819; 6, Rebecca Greangan, 1819; 7, Dorothy Buck 8, Michael Cryderman; 10, Isaac Orser; 12, Geo. Snook; 13, Jos. Morden Jr.; 14, Abram, Lambert; 15, Jno. Daniell; 17 Jane Daniell, all of which 1819; 18 Jno. Dusen Bery, 1822; 19, Wilhem Dusenbery, 1819; 20, Arnoldi Dorland, 1819; 24, Angus McDonald, (alias Roy) 1820; 25, Arah McDonald, 1820; 2nd con. 2, Jane Smith; 4, Rebecca David; 6, Margaret Baker; 7, Gilbert Orser; 8, Jno. Dusebery; 9, Jane Everitt; 12, David Secord; 13, David Burdett, 14, Thos. Fairman; 16, Jno. Fralick; 18, Nancy Goldsmith; 19, Nathaniel Hand; 21, David Kinnaly; 23, Jno. MacTaggart, all of which 1819; 24, Jno. McLennan, 1820; 24, Dan Sullivan, 1833; 25, Donald Fraser, 1820. 3rd con. 1, Wm. Johnson, 1827; 3, Jno. Elerbeck, 1835; 5, Eliz. Hess, 1819; 6, Margaret Hess, 1819; 7, Wm. W. Baldwin, 1840; 8, Sarah Coleman, 1819; 9, Jas. O. Boyclur, 1835; 10, Catharine Harvey, 1831; 13, Deborah Osborn; 14, Jno. Phillips; 15, Jas. Phillips; 17, Mary, Phillips; 18, Saml. Peak; 19, Tenby Taylor; 20, Abram Dafos; 22, Jno. Goldsmith; 24, David Goldsmith, all of which 1819. 4th con. 1, Wm. Johnson, 1827; 2, Catharine Bogge, 1835; 4, Wm. Dalie, 1848; 6, Jas. Cumming, 1834; 6, Jas. Appleton, 1839; 7, Mary Tripp; 8, John Van Horn; 9, Peter Bonner, 1819; 10, Kenneth Cameron, 1850; 11, Susannah Bennett, 1819; 12, Jos. Kellar, 1819; 13, Jno. Young, 1819; 21, Dan. King, 1835; 23, Susannah Lousuir, 1821; 24, Mary Donahoe, 1835; 24, David Brady, 1828; 25, Chas. Henry Bernard, 1836. 5th con. 1-3, Wm. Johnson, 1827; 5, Patrick Roche, 1843; 6, Neil Farman, 1833; 7, J. Hann, 1836; 7, Chas. Hay Howard, 1826; 8, Abram. Oldum, 1834; 10, Benj. Richie, 1831; 12, Wm. Allan, 1840; 13, John Rae, 1840; 13, Anable Du Sang, 1830; 15, Wm. Kimmerly, 1827; 17, Thos. Allen Stayner, 1845; 18, Thos. McKie, 1826; 22 Robt. Johnson, 1834; 24, Pat Rock, 1834; 25, Philip Wickmire, 1825. 6th con. 1, Hy. A. C. Pilkington, 1831; 3, Geo. Augustus Jack, 1855; 4, Asa Smalley, 1822; 6, Jno. King, 1825; 6, Roche Moffatt, 1829; 7-8, Amable Du Sang, 1830; 9, H. A. E. Pilkington, 1821; 9, Saml. Park, 1839; 11, Wm. Crawford, 1829; 12, Jas. Johnson, 1822; 13, Absalom Hurst, 1846; 14, Jno. Finston, 1840, 14, Saml. Brook, 1848; 16-17, Jas. Donnell, 1828; 18, Robt Johnson, 1835; 18, David Robertson, 1831; 20, Jas. Dorothy, 1822; 21, John Griffin, 1845; 21-22, Wm. Bouchier, 1822; 24, Andrew Wagner, 1832; 24, Thos. Allen Stayner, 1845; 25, Jno. Peregrine, 1829. 7th con. 1-2, Wm. Bouchier, 1819; 3, Hugh Morrison, 1833; 6, Wm. Johnson, 1827; 7, Jas. Cumming, 1834; 7, Jos. Lyall, 1845; 8, Jno. Davis, 1840; 10, Wm. Miller, 1826; 12, Margaret McDonnell, 1821; 13, Wm. Johnson, 1827; 13, Godfrey Wheeler, 1835; 14, Wm. Carter, 1825; 14, Austin Huntly, 1832; 14, Wm. R. Rains, 1840; 15, Nenas Huntly, 1829; 17-18, Simeon Secord, 1834; 20, Geo. Playter, 1838; 21-2, Anthony Trimper, 1827; 24-5, Margaret McDonell. 8th con. 1-2-3, Wm. Bouchier, 1819; 4, Loal Hale, 1827; 5, Jno. Peregrine, 1822; 5, Wm. Carter, 1822; 6, Jno. Conner, 1822; 7, Jas. Cumming, 1830; 7-8, Bouchier; 9, Wm. Miller; 9, Wm. Kingdon Raines; 10, Arch. Hamilton Scott; 11, Richd. Moffatt; 12-14-15, Margaret McDonnell, 16, A. C. Pilkington. 9th con. 1,2, Wm. Bouchier, 19; 6, John Conner, 1822; 7, J. C. Bouchier, 1830; 7, Jas. Cumming, 1832; 8, Wm. Bouchier, 1822; 18, A. C. Pilkington, 1831.

Respecting the first settlers we have been favored with some valuable information from Mr. Archd. Riddell, whose age and long connection with the municipality, gives authenticity to his statements. He says that the first settlers were half-pay officers, disbanded after the war. The two first who settled there were Capt. Bouchier, who commanded Fort Penetanguishene during the war of 1812-13, and John Comer. These two had settled before the survey of the township; and the surveyor finished his field notes in the house of Mr. Comer. The first white child born in the township was the eldest daughter of Jno. Comer, who is still alive and in good health.

Mr. Riddell says that he thinks that the first township meeting was held in 1823; but we learn from the records of North Gwillimbury that Georgina was united to that township until 1826. We may suppose that the first township meeting for Georgina alone was in 1827. Mr. Riddell informs us that Alex. Craig Lawson, was elected the first township clerk, which position he held till his death which took place after the township was incorporated. He was also the first school teacher in the Township. Jno. Comer was the first assessor and collector, which position he held for many years.

The records of the township to which we had access, date back no further than 1865, but we learn from Mr. Eakin the clerk of the County Council, that for 1850-51, Chas. H. Howard, was Reeve; 1852, Jas. Bouchier, R., 1853, Jno. Boyd, R.; 1854-55, Saml. Park, R.; 1856, W. S. Turner, R., 1857-58-59-60-61-62, Angus Ego, R.; 1863, Arch. Riddle, R.; 1864-65, Angus Ego, R.; 1866-67-69-70-81, A. Riddell, R.; 1872-73-74-75-76, Donald McDonald, R.; 1877, James Anderson, R.; Michael Baker, Dep. Reeve, the first to be appointed.

The following is taken from the minutes of the Council. "Minutes of the municipal council of the township of Georgina 1865." The first meeting of the year was held on the 10th of Jan. at Sheppard's Hotel, Sutton. The following gentlemen comprising the council for the current year, met pursuant to notice, viz: Angus Ego, Michael Grier, Henry Trilor and Arnold Brethour; absent Archibald Riddell. Mr. Ego was elected Reeve; J. R. Stephenson, Auditor; and the Reeve appointed R. G. Hall second Auditor; Joseph Sheppard, Assessor; John McDonald, Collector. A petition was received regarding a road for travel

el through "Gum Swamp to Chapman's mill." The township clerk, John Boyd. In 1866, the first meeting was at McDonald's Hotel Sutton. The council consisted of Arch. Riddell, R.; Capt. Thomas Sabbold, J. R. Stephenson, Jas. Rathgate and Samuel Brethour; J. Boyd, T. C. For 1867 council composed of A. Riddell, R.; Capt. Sabbold, J. R. Stephenson S. Britton, and Thomas Weir. J. Boyd, T. C. Mr. Boyd continued in office until 1872, when we find the name of Angus Ego as township clerk and treasurer. Mr. Ego remained in office until 1877, and was followed by Jno. Guben as clerk, and Geo. Evans Jr, as treasurer.

The officers for 1878 are, J. Anderson, Reeve, Georgina P. O.; Michael Baker, Dep. Reeve, Valentine P. O.; Chas. Laviolette, Virginia; Jos. Thourber, Georgina P. O.; R. J. Riddell, Georgina P. O. Councillors; P. McPherson, Georgina P. O., town clerk; Geo. Evans Jr, treasurer, Mark Kay, Collector; W. E. Fourburn, Assessor; J. R. Stephenson, John M. Danes, Auditors.

The township assessment roll shows an acreage of 35,000, and a population of 2082. There are within its boundaries nine churches, and the same number of school houses.

The surface of the township is somewhat flat, but it is traversed by a number of ridges running south-west, and between the ridges the land is low and swampy. The soil on the ridges is mostly clay, and being good agricultural land was first settled upon. The swamps are sandy and will have to be drained before fit to cultivate. This portion of the township will then make good grazing land, of which there are two to one of clay. The eastern part is the most sandy.

"Geologically speaking there are only two places in the township where the rock appears. The first is at the village of Pefferlaw in the bed of the stream; the second is at Duclean point (some call it Evans) where it shews the strata on the lake shore. It belongs to the Lower Silurian period, or Trenton. On the north-eastern point of the ridges are deposited the largest boulders, principally granitoid; and on each side of the ridges are strewn all along boulders, and in places large beds of gravel of lime stone. The boulders are all water-worn. There are two places where apparently two mighty icebergs have stranded, as the boulders are lying in promiscuous confusion." For the foregoing we are indebted to Mr. Archd. Riddell.

The principal village in Georgina is Sutton, which is on the border of North Gwillimbury and situated on the Black river, about three miles from where it flows into lake Simcoe. The name of James O'Brien Bouchier, of whom we have spoken and who appears among the patentees, possessed a considerable quantity of land. He was the founder of the village of Sutton, having by enterprise and energy established a flouring mill, and factories. Capt. Bouchier is now dead, but his son is still connected with the business operations which flourish in the village. The flouring mill does a large business. The population numbers about 650. There are two churches, church of England and Presbyterian.

A mile and a-half directly north of Sutton, at the terminus of the Toronto and Nipissing Railway, is Jackson's Point, a beautifully wooded spot by the lake—where picnic parties find yearly the most excellent amusement in boating and fishing. The steamboat *Lady of the Lakes*, is always available for excursions; the distance to Belle Ewart is about ten miles. At the eastern boundary of the township by the lake is Port Bolster. Midway between this place and Sutton is Virginia P. O. and south of Bolster point is Pefferlaw P. O. In the 4th con. are Vachell, and Baldwin post offices.

VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF GEORGINA FOR 1878.

Owners	347
Tenants	132
Farmers Sons.....	22
Income Tax Voters.....	4

Total..... 505

Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of Georgina or 1877.

Total receipts from Taxes, Licenses and Miscellaneous items from 1877.....	10,895.83
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	9,394.89
Balance on hand from 1876.....	\$ 1500.94
J. R. STEVENSON, } AUDITORS. WM. DAVIES, }	
TAXES LEVIED FOR 1877.	
County, Township and Railway Tax.....	4,664.66
County School Tax.....	2,125.40
Dog Tax.....	162
Total.....	6,952.06

TOWNSHIP OF KING.

The first survey of the Township of King was made by Stegmen in 1800. Surveying was again done in 1836-8 by Callaghan, and in 1852 by Jno. Ryan, and in '59 by Whelock. Modification of the township were made in 1851, when the county of Simcoe was created. The township fronts on Yonge street which separates it from Whitchurch. On the north the first concession joins East Gwillimbury; and the Holland River divides it from West Gwillimbury and Tecumseth. On the west is the township of Albion; and on the south it is joined to Vaughan. There are 12 concessions, but the last is a gore, and the 11th is incomplete. The line dividing the counties of York and Peel is not parallel with Yonge street. The total number of acres in the township is 86,480.

ORIGINAL LAND OWNERS.

South King—First patentees from the Domesday Book. First concession consists of lots numbers 61 to 95. West side of Yonge street, (old survey) 62 Rene Augustin Comte de Chaleurs, 1806; 61-2, Lt.-Col. Augustin Boynton, 1807; A foot notestates that this is in the record of the patent of the township of York, also lots 64-81-82. Lot 63, Thos. Hind, 1797; 64, Jno. McKay, 1797; 65, Jas Burgess, 1804; 66, Jas. Sellock 1801; 67, Edward Wright, 1797; 68, Daniel Jackson, 1805; 69, Mary Moody, 1805; 70, John Minthorn, 1804; 71, Joseph Minthorn, 1808; 72, Murdoch McLeod, 1809; 73, Jno Fulton, 1838; 74, Jacob Crane, jr., 1803; 76, Alex. Gardner, 1799; 75, Hy. Bonnell, 1813; 77, Hy. Harman, 1802; 78, John Dean Fisk, 1806; 79, Wm. Kennedy, 1803; 80 Wm. Tyler, 1805; 81, Thos. Phillips, 1797; 82, Wm. McClellan, 1797; Jas. Cody 1802; 84, P. Cody, 802, 85, Wm. Hughes, 1803; 86, Benj. Pearson, 1860; 87, Jas Gilbert, 1802; 88, Isaac Hollingshead, 1803; 89, Isaac Phillips, 1802; 90, Nathaniel Gamble, Jr., 1802; 91, Rufus Rogers, 1804; 92, Asa Rogers, 1804; 93, Isaac Rogers, 1805; 94, Ning Rogers, 95, Jas. Rogers, 2nd concession, lot 1, Patrick Hartney; 2, Wm. Lee; 3, Bernis Baynam,

1838; 4-5, Jas. Macaulay, 7-8, Ed. Wright, 9, Wm. Brydon, 1840, Arch Thompson, 1797; 13-14, Daniel Rose, 1799; 15, Alex. Gardner, 1817; 17 to 23, Jas. Fulton, 1803; 26, Jeremiah Taylor, 1801; 25, Rosannah Ferris, 1817; 28, Mary Lutz, 1801, 29, Rachael Lawson, 1802; 30, N. Gamble, 1830; 31-35, Rufus, Asa, Ning, and Jas. Rogers. 3rd concession, 1-3-4, Alex. Gardner, 1802; 5, Jas. Lloyd, 1833; 6-7-9, Edward Wright, 1797; 10, Eliza Ghent, 1802; 11, Philip Boisverd, 1847; 12, Heepzebat, McWilliams, 1802; 13, Lucretia Stewart, 1802; 14, Marienne Williams, 1802; 16, A. Gardner, 17, Eliz. Ross, 1801; 18-19, Pierre Protim, 1802; 20, Chas. Jabbin, 1802; 223, Jos. Gillie, 1801; 23, Matthew Hern, 1802; 24, Jenny Cairn, 1802; 26-7, Jonathan Sells, 1801; 29, Catharine Walker, 1802; Fred Levis Mills, 1802; Mary Gordon, 1801, 13, Peter Mintermute, 1837; 34, Robert Cathgart, 1844; 35, Sarah Playter 1801. 4th concession, lot 1, Hannah Cowell, 1835; 2, Rachael Skinner, 1803; 3, Neil Wilkie, 1848; 4, Daniel Nixon, 1801; 5, Ely Skinner, 1802, 7-8, E. Wright, 10, Sarah Vansicklen, 1802; 11, Hy. Windecker, 1802; 13, Mary Rott, 1803; 4, Martin Fuitz, 1803; 15, Geo. Thompson 1802; Isaiah Gardner, 1847; 17, Phoebe Adair; 18 to 25, Robert Innis, 26, Jonathan Sells, 1802; 28, Dorothy Burger, 1801; 29, Christopher Harrison, 1802; 30, J. Edmunds, 1839; 31, Anthony Hollingshead, 1801; 32, Geo. O'Kill Stewart, 1804; 32, Jonathan Kinney, 1802; 34, Elizabeth Newkirk, 1803; 35, Jas. Newkirk, 1802. 5th concession, lot 1, Chloe McDonnell, 1802; 3, Wm. Crowder, 1801; Hannah Palmer, 1802; 5, Samuel Pierson, 1844; 6-7, E. Wright, 9-10, Jas. Osborne, 1802; 11, Wm. Hane, 1847; 12, Titus Doran, 1802; 13, Margaret Buckner, 1802; 14, John Broughner, 1802. 16, Phillip Bender, 1802; Thomas Allen Stayner, 1845; 17, John File, 1803; 18-19, Hugh Heward, 1803; 20, Elizabeth Cline, 1803; 22, Rosanna Fairis, 1803; 23, Samuel McKirbie, 1804; 24, Martha McKirbie, 1804; Martha McKirbie, 1803; 26, H. Heward, 1803; 27, Alex. Clandenning, 1803; 28, John Fogart, 1847; 28, John Allen Nibbe, 1850; Rev. Richard Edmand Tyrcohit, 1853; Septimus Tyrcohit, 1853; 29-30, H. Heward, 31, Abraham Webster, 1810; 32, Thomas Whitaker, 1816; 33, Benj. Springer, 1802; 34, John Grant, 1840; 35, Mary Buchnar, 1802, 6th concession, 1, Mary Rogers, 1802; 2, A. Rogers, 1802; Isaac Gude, 1843; 4, Patrick Hartney, 1827; 5, Caty Brown, 1801; 7-14, Richard Pattinson, 1802; 9, R. Machell, 1839; 15, Phillip Bender, 1802; 17, J. File, 1803; 18; Wm. Lee, 18, John McMicking, 1803; 19, Elizabeth Robertson 1803; 21, Mary Smith, 1803; 22, David Palmer, jr., 1805; 23, Mary Thompson, 24, D. Secord, 1804; 26, Sarah Boyles, 1804; 28, Geo. Stewart, jr., 1803; 29, Mary Kithman, 1805; 31, Sarah Wagstaff, 1804; 32, Mary Ward, 1803; 34, Mary Cushman, 1804; 35, Elizabeth McKenzie, 1804. 7th concession, 1, Catharine Hesse, 1802; 3-4, Wm. Smith, 1801; 5, J. Harrison, 1847; 6, Jno. Cole, 1801; 9, Jos. Dennis, 1802; 10, Ben. Wells, 1802; 12-13-14, John Latteridge, 1802; 15 to 20, Canada Company, 22, Peter Rankin, 1835; 22, Wm. Boyle, 1833; 23, Jno. Proctor, 1835; 23, John Rodenhurst, 1843; 23, Wm. H. Moore, 1840; 24, Wm. Patton, 1845; 24, Richard Perry, 1839; 26, Jas. Henderson, 1841; 27, Chas. Tomlinson, 1839; 29, Marvin Hunter, 1805; 30, Stephen Bissonette, 1833; 30, Chas. W. Madden, 32-33-35, John Haviland, 1812; 34, Thos. Irvin, 1842. 8th concession, 1, Aaron Crefas, 1802; 2, Wm. Smith, 3, Martin Snider, 1843; 4, Mary McDonnell, 1801; 5, Mary Springer, 1802; 7, Wm. Weer, 1809; 8, Rev. Clarke, 1812; 10, Duncan Gilchrist, 1802; 11, Wm. Gilchrist, 1803; 13, Neil Gilchrist, 1802; 15, Eleanor Nugent, 1802; 17, Wm. Applegarth, 1803; 18, Ann McDonald, 1804, 19, John McDonald, 1814; 21, Wm. Moore, 1815; Rev. John Rolph, 1840; 22, Elizabeth Fogelalay, 1803; 22, John Scott, 1832; 23, Elizabeth Hassun, 1808; 25, Garrett Scram, 1805; 26, Gertrand Plato, 1805; 28, John Wilson, 1805; 29, Catharine Farr, 1805; 30, Joseph Hughes, 1839; 31, Joshua Applegarth, 1803; 32, John Applegarth, 1803; 34, Andrew Wilson, 1803; 35, Hugh Wilson, 1803. 9th concession, 1, Jas. Hunter, 1803; 3, Abraham Astleline, 1803; 4, Isaac Astleline, 1804; 5, Thos. Noble, 1848; 6, Chas. Gisso, 1802; 7, Thos. Walker, 1802; 9, David Fraser, 1802; 10, Wm. Emery, 1803; 12-13, John Chisholm, 1802; 14, Wm. Crumb, 1803; 16, Neil Campbell, 17, Alex. Brown, 1847; 18, Wm. Burk, 19, Arch Mitchell, 22, Elizabeth Hogellang, 23, Sarah File, 24, Caleb Swayze, 1803; 26, David Van Every, jr., 1803; 27-29-30, Bernard Maisonneville, 1802; 28, Jeremiah Smith, 1835; 32-33-35, Toussant Maisonneville, 1801; 34, Joel Lloyd. 10th concession, 1, Margaret Smith, 1802; 2, Jo. Dean, 1802; 4, Abin Miner, 1802; 5, Deborah Hill, 1804; 7, Alice Forsyth, 1802; 8, Jas. Cannon, 1802; 9, Patr. Tridnor, 1850; 13-14, Marie Joseph Gouin, 1802; 15, David Bessey, 1801; 16, Jas. Brooks, 1854; 17, Jane Hover, 1803; 18, Eliz Wright, 1803, 19, Sarah Ward, 1803; 21-2-3, Alexis Maisonneville, Jr. 1802; 25, Sarah Mann, 1803; 28, Sarah Asseltme, 1803; 29-31-2-3-4-5, Alexis Maisonneville, 1802; 30, Jas. Henderson, 1841. 11th concession, 1, Jno. Stoner, 1803; 3, Jeremiah W. Dawson, 1840; 4, Val. Stoner, 1803; 5, Daniel Young, 1804, 7, Wm. Farr, 1802; 9, Mary Myers, 1803; 10, Ann Purvis, 1832; 11, Wm. Macdonell, 1803; 13-14, Marie Joseph Gouin, 15, Eliz Clow, 1832; 17, Annie Turner, 1803; 19-20, Christopher Culp, 23-4-5 6-7-9-30-1-3-5, Alexis Maisonneville, 1802. 12th concession, 1, Wm. Farr, 1802; 14-15, John Scraw, 1805; 16, Wm. D. Parker, 1846; 17, Wm. Scraw 18-19, Ann Jones, 1803; 21-2, Hannah, Goldwell, 1804; 23, Wm. Proudfoot, 1843; 24, Thos. McFee, 1854; 25-3, Sarah Lotteridge et al. 1826; 28-9, Jno. Van Zantee, 1802, 30, Jeremiah P. Cummins, 1853; 31, Anna Boughmer, 1803; 32, Christopher Overholt, 1803; 34, Sol. Austin, jr. 1805; 35, Chas. Stewart, 1805; 13th concession, 29, Jno; Van Zantee. A large number of lots in the different concessions were patented to the Canada Company.

North King—This portion of the township was formerly a part of West Gwillimbury. but in 1851 it was joined to King, as the first concession was joined to East Gwillimbury, thusmaking the Holland River the dividing line between York and the County of Simcoe. North King is mostly a swamp; and although surveyed into lots many of them are unfit for agricultural purposes. Portions of the swamp are still the property of the Government. A few of the lots have somewhat recently been patented. There are two concessions fronting toward Yonge street, numbered 3rd and 3rd, the 1st belonging to East Gwillimbury. The western portion of North King consists of 3 concessions, fronting southward. The 3rd concession is remarkable for having only one lot with a piece of adjacent swamp. Patentees of North King, 2nd concession, lot 1. Obadiah Rogers, 1805; 2, Obadiah Griffin, 4, Bethuel Huntly, 1805; 5, Ann Dennis, 1807; 6, King's Coll; 7, Jno. Darling, 1840, 8, Abraham Nelles, 1807; 8, Stengly Watson, 1849; 9, Geo. Lount, 1845; three lots to the Canada Company; 13-14-15, John Haviland, 1812; 16-17, Arthur McMaster, 1846. 3rd concession, Abraham Nelles, 1807; 2, Ebeney Doan, 1847; 3, Isaac Van Allstine, 1808; 4, Jno. Haviland; 1812; 7, Wm. Proudfoot, 1843. A number of lots have been patented of late years.

We are fortunate in having had for reference one of the oldest records in the county, in the minute book of the township of King, com-

mencing in the year 1809. For this we are indebted to Joseph Wood Esq., the present esteemed township clerk, who has worthily filled the office since 1847, being the oldest officer in that position in the whole county. The following account of the township meetings will prove interesting and afford a contrast between the past and the present.

"At a Town Meeting held at the house of Joseph ———, for the township of King the sixth day of March 1809, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year :—Town Clerk, William Haines; Assessors, Jacob Hollinshead, and William Hughes; Collector, William Tyler; Overseers of the Roads, Henry Harman, Thomas Taylor, Rufus Rogers; Poundkeeper, Isaac Hollinshead; Town Wardens, William Kennedy and John Nichol. "It is agreed that the Fences shall be lawful that are five feet high, two feet of which shall not be more than 4 inches between the rails, and the other part not more than six inches between the rails, except liners which shall not exceed fifteen inches." "It is agreed that Hogs shall be free commoners."

A return of the number of inhabitants of the Township of King, taken March the 28th A. D. 1809, Names of inhabitants as follows :—James Rogers, John Doan, Enos Dennis, Amos Hughes, Isaac Rogers, William Doan, Joseph Doan, Mahlon Doan, Ebenezer Doan, Rufus Rogers, Levi Dennis, Nathaniel Gamble, jr., Isaac Phillips, Isaac Hollinshead, Thomas Taylor, John Nichol, Benjamin Pearson, William Hughes, Joseph Cody, William Haines, Jacob Hollinshead, William Tyler, William Kennedy, Henry Harman, Isaac Davis, Caleb McWilliams, John Devine, David Love, James Love, John Hunter, Michael St. John, Henry Sagle, Benjamin Kester. 33 heads of families. Total number of inhabitants 160.

The Town meeting 1810 was held at the house of Nathaniel Gamble jr. Wm Haines, again Town Clerk; Benjamin Pearson, and Wm. Doan, Assessors; Wm. Tyler, Collector; Overseers of the roads, David Love, John Hunter, Jacob Hollinshead, Thomas Taylor, and John Doan; Poundkeeper, Nathaniel Gamble, jr., Henry Harman, and Wm. Hughes, T. W. In the list of inhabitants we find the total number of families was 37. Instead of Levi Doan, we have Sarah Doan; and instead of Joseph Coady appears the name of Sally Coady, which shows we may suppose that death had removed these two heads of families. The name of Rufus Rogers no longer appears, and are added the names of Aaron Hamilton, Jonathan Halacook, Wm. Copeland, John Hilburn and James Doyle.

1811 The Town meeting was held 4th March at Nath. Gambles jr., Wm Haines, T. C., and he continued to fill this office until 1836, when John R. Kennedy succeeded him for two years. In 1840 Mr Kennedy was again T. C., and remained the four following years, which brings us to the end of the first record of the township. The Town meetings continued to be held at Mr Gambles until 1813, when it was held at the house of Wm Tylers. In 1814 it was again held at Mr Gambles, where it continued to be held until 1839, when it took place at Mr Samuel Clay's, for two or three years. In 1840 The Town meeting was held at the tavern of James Graham. The "proceedings of the township meeting were held at Lloyd Town, Jan 3rd 1842." In 1844 the Town meeting was held at Coats Inn.

The number of inhabitants in 1811 was increased by the addition of six families, with a total of 206 inhabitants. The new names are Wm. Hughes, Cyrus Dennis, John Minthorn, Wm. Minthorn, Thomas Morgan, and Joseph Roberts. In 1812 there were 42 families with a total of 226 inhabitants. The number of the families in 1813 was reduced to 38 and total number 289. For three years the number of inhabitants decreased, and was as low as 209. This was doubtless attributable to the war. After this, from 1816, the growth of population was more rapid, and in 1823 we find the total amounting to 394, with 67 families. In 1820, "it is agreed that all Canada thistles shall be cut down by the owner or tenants of land, and not suffer to go to blossom, upon the penalty of twenty-five shillings currency, and we do appoint the overseers of the highways, and constables, to have the oversight of them, and see that it is done, and to return all that neglect cutting them." In 1837, "in all difficulties arising between neighbors in consequence of damages done by cattle, arbitrators are to be chosen by the parties concerned, who shall determine whether the fences be good, and what amount of damages shall be." 1843, School Commissioners, Barnes Beynon, Thomas Cosford, John Tawse, M. A., Jacob Lemon, Isaiah Tyson, Donald McCallum, and Captain A. Armstrong Andrew Sloan, T. C. Mathaniel Pearson, Assessor, and Richard Murphy Collector. Town Wardens, Joel Hughes, Wm. Brydon, and Thomas Cosford, Thomas W. Tyson, and Henry Stewart, District Councillors. 1844. District Councillors, same as last year. John R. Kennedy, T. C. 1845, Thomas, W. Tyson, and Henry Stewart, District Councillors, John R. Kennedy, T. C. 1846, Thomas W. Tyson, and Joseph Bawldwin, District Councillors, John R. Kennedy, T. C. 1847, Town Wardens, John McKinley, Thomas Cosford, and James Hunter, James O'Brien, Assessor, Andrew Sloan, Collector; Joseph Wood, T. C. 1848, Henry Stewart, and Thomas W. Tyson, District Councillors, Robert Parker, John Wells, and Benjamin Jennings, Town Wardens, James McCallum, Assessor, Isaac Dennis, Collector; Joseph Wood, T. C. 1849, Joseph Wood, T. C.; the record for this year is missing, cannot say who the other officers were. In the year 1850, Geo J ghes was Reeve, and Joseph Wells, Deputy Reeve. 1857, Hughes, R.; pt. Tyrhitt, D. R. 1852, Sept. Tyrhitt, R.; Joseph Wells, D. R. 1853-4, Hughes, R.; J. D. Phillips D. R. 1855-6, Hughes, R.; Wm. Wells, D. R. 1857, Hughes, R.; Phillips, D. R. 1858, J. D. Phillips, R.; J. P. Wells, D. R. 1859, A. Armstrong, R.; A. Davis, D. R. 1860, James P. Wells, R.; Alb. Webb, D. R. 1861 Wells, R.; W. Moore, D. R. 1862-3, J. P. Wells, R.; Alb. Webb, D. R. 1864, Webb, R.; Saml. Machell, D. R. 1865, Joel Phillips, R.; Alex. Thompson, D. R. 1866, Webb, R.; A. Thompson, D. R. 1867, T. Tyson R.; S. Mac-hell, and Joel Phillips, D. R. 1868, J. Stokes, R.; S. Machell, and A. Thompson, D. R. 1869-70, A. Webb, R.; W. Munsic, J. Phillips, D. R. 1871-2-3, Wm. Munsic, R.; J. D. Phillips, and Joel Phillips, D. R. 1874, J. D. Phillips, R.; Chas. Irwin, and J. Stokes, Jas. Rogers D. R. 1875, J. D. Phillips, R. J.; C. Stokes, Chas. Hambly, Chas. Irwin, D. R. 1876, J. Stokes, R.; J. C. Stokes, C. Hambly, C. Irwin, D. R. 1877, J. Stokes, R.; J. C. Stokes, C. Hambly, D. R. The officers for 1878 are, Joseph Stokes, R.; J. C. Stokes, C. Hambly, jr., and Arthur Armstrong, jr., D. R.; and E. J. Davis, Councillor; John Leigh, and William E. Fox Assessors; Benjamin Lloyd, and Francis D. Ramsey, Auditors; John Beasley, and Matthew Halse, Collectors; Joseph Wood, Clerk and Sub-Treasurer of school monies; Gershom Proctor, Treasurer.

Mr. Joseph Wood, the present township Clerk, is a fine specimen of what may be accomplished by industry and faithful discharge of the duties of citizenship, one of a class of Englishmen, who by their energy and thrift have aided greatly in developing the country and improving themselves. He came with his parents from England in 1830 to "Little

York." In July 1831 the family consisting of three brothers sisters moved to Whitchurch on Yonge St, near the site of Aurora. In the Autumn of 1835, they settled on lot 12, 6th concession of King, while that region was almost a wilderness. In 1857, Mr. J. Wood, settled on lot 1, the same concession where he has continued to live. Mr. Wood is to be congratulated on being a self taught man. His only surviving brother is a minister of the Episcopal Methodist Church, and in connection with Niagara Conference has filled some of the most prominent stations in Western Canada.

A glance at the names of the first settlers brings to mind not a few who have taken an active and noble part in making the township what it is to-day, in wealth, intelligence and education. As in other townships, so in King, a certain number of settlers came in at a date somewhat later, but sufficiently early to act an important part in opening and developing the agricultural wealth of the township. A typical case is afforded in the person of Geo. Hughes. J. P., who, a native of Pennsylvania, came to Canada in 1819 being then twelve years old. He accompanied his father, who settled on Yonge street, near the site of Aurora. He afterwards removed to the 8th Con., while it was yet a wilderness, and assisted his father in clearing the farm. He afterward, having married the daughter of John Watson, cleared and improved a farm of his own. In 1836 he engaged in the mercantile business, near the village of Brownsville (now Schomberg) and continued in business for about twenty years. Mr. Hughes has always taken a lively and intelligent interest in the well-being of the county, and identified himself with the cause of temperance and other institutions intended to advance the common welfare. He has been elected Reeve of the township six times, is a Justice of the Peace, and for many years a Commissioner in the Court of Queen's Bench. He has three brothers alive, one son and two daughters. He is the uncle of Dr. Widdifield, the present member for North York.

AURORA.—The thriving village of Aurora is situated on Yonge street, 23 miles from Toronto, partly in King and partly in Whitchurch. It was formerly designated Machill's Corners. Looking down from the Ridges, Aurora presents a very pleasant appearance, surrounded by well cultivated farms, and possessing many well-constructed and elegant buildings. The village was incorporated the 1st of Jan., 1863, the first members of the council being: Chas. Doan, Reeve; Seth Ashton, Robt. Boyd, James Halladay and G. S. Stevenson, councillors; Mr. Charles York, clerk and treasurer. Present members of the council: Jos. Fleury, Reeve (who has occupied that position for five years); E. Pease, G. W. Morrison, R. Wells, and B. Pearson, councillors; and S. H. Lundy, clerk and treasurer. The present population is about 1500; contains 2 newspapers (*The Banner and Liberal-Conservative*), 2 telegraph offices, 5 churches, 1 bank, 2 agricultural implement manufactories, 1 flour mill, 1 saw mill, 2 planing mills, 2 cabinet factories and several other industries. The first Reeve, Mr. Chas. Doan, as well as two of the first councillors, Messrs. Ashton and Stevenson, are still residents of the village. Mr. Charles Doan has been postmaster for upwards of 25 years.

Schomberg, formerly called Brownsville, situated in the northern part of the 9th Con. is a prosperous village, as is Lloydtown, a short distance south-west of it. Glenville is in the north of the 2nd con. Kettleby is in the 4th con., seven miles from Aurora. West of this lies Pottageville P. O., and south-west Linton, P. O. South of this is the village of Nobleton, which is 4 miles from Klineburg, on the T. G. & B. R. R., and from King station on the Northern 6½ miles. Eastward is King Creek P. O., Laskey P. O., King Horn, King, Springhill, Eversley, Oak Ridge and Temperanceville.

King, like Whitchurch, has the Oak Ridges lying across the township. The land is dotted with a number of lakes and ponds, some of which are the sources of streams which contribute to form the river Humber and some the Holland river.

VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF KING FOR 1878.

Owners	802
Tenants	379
Farmers Sons	51
Householders	1
Income Tax Voters	2

Total..... 1238

Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of King for 1877.

Balance on hand from 1876.....	\$ 330.18
Total receipts from Taxes, Licenses and Miscellaneous items for 1877.....	15,770.26
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	16,100.41

Excess of disbursements over receipts... \$ 330.18

B. LLOYD,
F. D. RAMSEY, } AUDITORS.

TAXES LEVIED FOR 1877.

Township Taxes	3,375.54
County Tax	3,221.12
County School Tax	1,104.00
Township " (Trustees Assessment)	7,121.25
Non-resident Tax	70.77

Total..... \$14,892.68

STATEMENT OF MONEY FUNDED FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

Debentures purchased with Municipal Surplus Fund	16,108.00
Debentures purchased with Clergy Reserve Fund	22,628.29

Total moneys funded for schools... \$38,736.29

TOWNSHIP OF VAUGHAN.

The original map of this township in the Surveyor-General's office is designated thereon a "rough plan for location in Vaughan," and John Stegmon Dep Surveyor, dated Aug. 22, 1788; but it is recorded in that office that Ireddell first surveyed some portion 1795, most probably only the 1st Con. In 1851 Prosser surveyed the 11th Con. and in 1861, Denvers re-surveyed the side lines. A curious fact existed with regard to the line between Vaughan and York. Instead of being straight it had a curve so as to encroach upon York township to the extent of the width of the road. Mr. Fisher was the owner of the lot concerned, and it was only after a good deal of litigation that the county succeeded in having the road, made straight. The first surveyor was to blame and the subsequent one did not take the trouble to rectify the error.

lot in the 1st con., as appears in the following list of patents, is the 26th lot fronting on Yonge street, commencing at the 4th con. of York:

1st Con. on Yonge street, lot 26, Jacob Fisher, jr., 1778; 27, Elisha Dexter, 1802; 27, Rectory of Thornhill, 1830; 28, Nathan Chapman, 1798; 29, Asa Johnson, 1796; 30, John Wilson, sr., 1810; 31, Daniel Soules, 1805; 32, Robert Marsh, 1802; 33, Wm. Hunter, 1811; 34, Nicholas Cower, 1798; 35, Stephen Colby, 1798; 36, Samuel Sinckler, 1805; 37, Lt. Abraham Irdell, 1798; 38, Jonathan Willcott, 1798; 39, Wm. Bowk, ets, 1803; 40 John McKarby, 1798; 41, James Cram, 1798; 42, Michael Korts, 1803; 43, William Hollingshead, 1803; 44, John Hampsted Hudson, 1806; 45, James Perigo, 1802; 46, Abner Miles, 1803; 47, John C. Stokes, 1808; 48, Edward Stokes, 1823; 49, Samuel Heron, 1797; 50, Wm. Flannigan, 1805; 51, William B. Peters, 1797; 52-3-4, Rowland Winborne, 1834; 55, Melinda Cook, 1843; 56, Francis Renoux, 1820; 56, Michael Saigen, 1820; 57, Julian C. Bugle, 1808; 57, James Marchand, 1820; 58, Ambroise de Farcy, 1806; 58, Rene a Comte de Charles 1806; Rowland, Winburne, 58-9, Quetton St. George, 1806; 60, Reni Augustine Comte de Charles, 1806. 2nd con., lot 1, Jacob Fisher, 1798; 2, James Ruggles, 1801; 4-5-7, Capt. Richard Lippincott, 1797; 9, Lewis Page, 1838; 10-11, Daniel Cozens, 1801; 13-14, Samuel D. Cozens, 1801; 15, Joshua Y. Cozens, 1804; 16, Thomas Cook, 1842; 17, John Cameron, 1804; 18-19, Capt. Dan. Cozens, 1798; 21, James Perigo, 1802; 22, Wm. D. Powell, jr., 1801; 23-5-6, Wm. B. Peters, 1797; 28-29, Samuel D. Rievar, 1797; 31, Thos. Mercer, 1841; 32, Betsey Ann Holmes, 1812; 34-5 Bernard Carey, 1798. 3rd Con., Lot 1, Mary Lawrence, 1802; 2, Benj. Reynolds, jr., 1834; 3-4-6-7, Capt. Lippincott 1807; 5, Christian Royes, 1838; 9-10, Dan Cozens, 1801; 11, Hiram White, 1844; 11, Alex. Wallace, 44; 1812, Benj. Cozens, 1803; 13, 14, Joshua T. Cozens, 1804; 17-18, Capt. D. Cozens, 1798; 19-20, Sergt. Jno. Ross, 20, Jas. Perigo, 1802; 21, J. Fraser, 1845; 22, Thos. Medcalf 1804; 23, W. B. Peters, 1797; 24, Alice Osburn, 1802; 26, W. B. Peters, 1797; 29-30, S. D. Kiener, 1797; 35, Mary Brown, 1822. 4th concession, 1-2, Rich. Lorraine, 1805; 3, Wm. Burkholder, 1837; 4-5-7-8, Captain Lippincott, 1797; 9, Jac. Shinck, 1837; 10-11, Dan Cozens, 1801; 13, Jno. Cameron, 1807; 14-15, Jos. Y. Cozens, 1804; 17, Jno. Cameron, 1807, 18, Capt. D. Cozens, 1798; 19-21, Saml. Street, 1798; 22, Catherine, Williams, 1802; 22, T. Medcalf, 1804; 23, S. Street, 1798; 25-6, Jno. Wilson, jr., 1809; 28-9-31-2, Jno. Dennis, 1801; 32, Garrard McNutt, 1801; 32, Cath. Williams, 1804; 34, Jno. Anderson, 1800; 35, Jannette Anderson, 1801. 5th con., Lot 1, Jno. McDougall, 1801; 1, Thos. Hill, 1801; 3-4, Silas Cook, 1799; 5, Jno. Smith, 1839; 6, Ashash Souls, 1802; 7, Polly Devans, 1805; 9, Nicholas Miller, 1802; 10, Sally Miller, 1802; 12, Asa. Johnson, 1798; 13, Lucy Allen, 1811; 14-16, Hy Deckhouth, 1821; 17, John Crosson, 1812; 18-19, Geo. McBride, 1801; 19, Samuel Street, 1798; 20, Jno. McDonnell, 1802; 22, Thos. Knight, 1801; 23, Sophia Dennison, 1815; 24, Dorothy Porter, 1801; 26, Jno. Fenbroeck, 1799; 27, Elias Williams, 1802; 29, Assail Davis, 1802; 30, Anne Dennis, 1793; 32, Eliz Davis, 1802. 33, Margaret Chapman, 1808; 34, Isaac Puttenbough, 1831; 35, Alex. Shaw, 1801. 6th concession 1, Jno. McDougall, 1801; 2, Priscilla Tenbroeck, 1799; 4-5, Jacob Fisher, 1801; 7, Nathaniel Huson, 1802; 8, Rebecca Huson, 1802; 10, Garrett Klingerland, 1799; 11, Ann Haines, 1802; 13, John Size, 1802; 13, Alex. McDonnell, 1806; 14-15, Thos. Barry, 1799; 17, W. D. Powell, 1801; 18, Thos. Forpar, 1801; 19, Wm. Forpar, 1801; 21, Jas. Richardson, jr., 1817; 22, Eliz. Thompson, 1701; 23, Robt. Franklin, 1798; 25, Thos. Adams, 1833; 26, Loyrench, Williams, 1802; 28, Nathaniel, Coffin, 1832; 29, Mary Bowen, 1821; 31, Jno. Wintermute, 1802; 32, Joseph Williams, 1807; 34, Jno. Wintermute, 1801; 35, Gerrard McNutt, 1804; 35, Jno Casson, 1812. 7th con., 1-3-4, Hon. Alex. Grant, 1799; 4, Thos. Butler sr., 1799; 5, Jno. Brown, 1846; 6-7, Jacob Philips, 1802; 7, Hugh Cameron, 1801; 9, David Thompson, 1801; 10, Jas. Maul, 1800; 11, Jno. Smith, 1833; 11, Dan. Stamp, 1838; 12, Sarah Hodgkinson, 1802; 13, Michael Burkholder, 1827; 14, Alex. McDonnell, 1806; 21, Jas. Cane, 1844; 22, John Robt. Small, 1811; 23-4, Eliza A. Small, 1811; 26, Conrad Frederick, 1802; 27, Eliz. Frederick, 1805; 29, Hugh McLean, 1798; 30, Hugh Sweeney, 1802; 32, Wm. Harlong, 1801; 34, Jas. McMurchy, 1841; 35, Sarah Patterson, 1802. 8th con., 1, Annie Dally, 1801; 2, Jno. Jefferson, 1832; 3, Jno. Williams, 1835; 3, Lot. Hartman, 1840; 4, Jas. B. Macaulay, 1802; 5, Geo. Macaulay, 1802; 7, Hugh Cameron, 1801; 8, Thos. Medcalf, 1804; 9, Jno. Hamilton, 1846; 10-1-13, Jas. Ledan, 1801; 14, Augustas Jones, 1802; 15, Ann Davis, 1801; 17, Haggai Cooke, 1811; 18, Saml. Backhouse, 1805; 19, Rich. Gamble, 1800; 21-2, Chas. Tremble, 1802; 22, Saml. Sinclair, 1802; 23, Peter Kuhun, 1801; 25-6, Maria Livinia Hamilton, 1821; 28-9, Augusta, Honoria McCormack, 1821; 31-2, S. B. Jarvis, 1821; 34, David Townsend Stevenson, 1819; 35, Sarah Ellen Evert et al., 1835. 9th con., 1-3-4, Jas. Ruggles, 1798; 5, Andrew Rider, 1802; 6-7, J. Ruggles, 1798; 9-10-12, Richard Gamble, 1800; 11, Richard Jeffrey, 1841; 11, Elisha Farr, 1845; 13, H. Barton, 1833; 13, Robt. King, 1833; 14, Joseph Hiltz, 1801; 18, Roger McEachern, 1845; 18-20, Neil McGillivray, 1846; 19 second Rectory of Markham, 1836; 22-3, Jane Wartsell, 1808; 13, Abigail Bessey, 1803; 14, Sarah Davis, 1802; 26-7, Wm. Monson Jarvis, 1821; 29-30, Hannah Owen Hamilton, 1821; 35, Rachael DeFoe, 1801. 10th con, 3-4, Jas. Ruggles, 1798; 5, Elisha Small, 1823; 7, Richard Gamble, 8, Conrad Frederick, 1802; 10, W. D. Powell, jr, 1802; 11, John Easter, 1804; 13-14-15, Wm. Graham, 1798; 17-18-21-2, Edward W. & Jas. B. Armstrong, 1829; 25-6-8-9, Walter Roe, 1800; 31, Eleanor Moore, 1809; 32, Louisa Stephenson, 1809; 34, Francis Hy. Stephenson, 1815; 35, J. Augustus Stephenson, 1817; 25-6-7-8, W. Roe, 1800; 30, Jno. Crosson, 1812; 32-3, Jno. Easter, 1804; 35, Jas. Edward Small, 1811.

The minutes of the proceedings of the Municipal Government of the township of Vaughan extend back no further than 1850; at least J. M. Lawrence, the Township Clerk has no earlier in his possession. Pursuant to the Act, five councillors to represent as many wards were elected Jan. 7, 1850. For ward No 1, David Smellie, 2, David Bridgford; 3, John W. Gamble, 4, James Adams; 5, John Laurie. The first meeting of the Council was held on the 21st of Jan., at the Township Hall, in the 5th Con., 12 o'clock, noon. It was moved by Mr. Laurie, seconded by Mr. Adams, that Mr. J. W. Gamble be the Reeve—carried. Having taken the chair, Mr. Gamble addressed the members. Mr. Laurie moved, seconded by Mr. Smellie, that Mr. Smellie be the Deputy-Reeve—Lost by the casting vote of the chairman. Moved by Mr. Adams, seconded by Mr. Bridgford that Mr. Bridgford be Deputy-Reeve—Carried by the casting vote of the chairman. James Ashdown having made a written application for the office of Township Clerk, was elected to fill the post. Nathaniel Wallace was appointed assessor for wards 3 and 4; John Stephens, of the 4th con. for 1 and 2, and Wm. Porter for ward 5. The petition of

Joseph Orr, to be appointed Assessor, was complied with. The inhabitants of each ward were instructed to select from among themselves Overseers of Roads.

The second meeting of the council took place on the 18th February Rev. James Dick was appointed superintendent of common schools, at a salary of £20. Mr. McEachren was appointed Treasurer, and Patrick Callahan was appointed surveyor for the year. The Council appointed returning Officers for each ward, and the several places for holding municipal elections.

The Council for 1851, were, David Smellie, D. Bridgford, J. W. Gamble, Alex. Mitchell, John Laurie, Mr. Gamble, was again elected Reeve and Mr. Smellie Deputy Reeve. For 1852 Gamble Reeve; Bridgford, Deputy Reeve; Thomas Cook, A. Mitchell, Jas. Summerville, 1853, Gamble, Reeve; Bridgford, Deputy-Reeve; Cook, Donald Cameron, Jas. Thompson, 1854, Gamble R. Bridgford, D. R.; Cook, Cameron, Thompson, 1855, Reeve, and D. R. the same; Cook, Cameron, Wm. Kissey, 1856, Gamble, R.; Bridgford, D. R.; Cook, Cameron, Alfred Jeffrey, 1857, Gamble, R.; Bridgford, D. R., Geo. J. F. Pearce, Henry S. Howland, Jas. Summerville, 1858, Bridgford, R.; Alfred Jeffery, D. R.; Smellie, John Brown, Howland, 1859, H. S. Howland, R.; Alfred Jeffery, D. R.; Smellie, Bridgford, Brown, 1860, the same. 1861, Robert J. Arnold, R.; Wm. Cook, D.R.; Brown, Howland, Jeffrey, 1862, Arnold, R.; Jeffrey, D. R.; Cook, Brown, Howland, 1863, Arnold, R.; Cook, D. R.; Brown, Howland, Jeffrey, 1864, Howland, R.; Jeffrey, D. R.; Dr. Langstaff, Arnold, Thos. Graham, 1865, Howland, R.; Graham, D. R.; Daniel Reaman, Dr. Langstaff, Thomas Webster, 1866, the same. 1867, the same, except Arnold instead of Langstaff. 1868, Peter Patterson, R.; Wm. Hartman, D. R.; Arnold, D. R.; Reaman, Webster, 1871, Patterson, R.; Thompson Porter and Boyle, D. R.'s; same councillors. 1872, Boyle, R.; Webster and Porter, D. R.'s; Reaman, Arch. McQuarie, 1873, the same. 1874, W. C. Patterson, R.; N. Clarke Wallace and Thos. Webster, D. R.'s; Reaman, Jonathan Etherly, 1875, W. C. Patterson, R.; three Deputy-Reeves, Wallace, Webster, Isaac Chapman; Dan. Reaman, com. 1876, the same. 1877, the same, except Daniel Kinner in place of Chapman.

For 1878, W. C. Patterson, Reeve; N. C. Wallace, 1st Deputy-Reeve; John C. Card, 2nd Deputy-Reeve; Daniel Kinner, 3rd Deputy-Reeve; J. M. Lawrence, Township Clerk and Treasurer.

Mr. Lawrence, the T. Clerk, is a descendant of the U. E. Loyalists on both parents side. His mother's father, Robert Marsh, settled here in 1800. His father's father, John Laurence, was a captain in the Royal Army, during the war 1776—83. He was at first a refugee in New Brunswick, but came to Canada in 1817. Mr. Lawrence showed us a volume of the first statutes enacted in New Brunswick, dated 1784.

In the township are sixteen churches of various denominations. At the village of Patterson is a neat white church erected by the proprietors of the place, which is in turn used by different denominations. Of School Houses in the township, there are nineteen, besides union sections, where other townships unite. The township is divided into twenty-one school sections.

The principal manufactories in Vaughan are Patterson's and Abell's, at which agricultural implements are made. Abell employs about 200 men and Patterson 100. There is also a Woollen Factory at Woodbridge.

The chief products of the soil are wheat, barley, hay.

RICHMOND HILL was incorporated in 1872. Mr. Abram Law was the first Reeve of the village. The Council consisted of Wm. Warren, David Hopkins, Jacob Brillinger and Wm. Powell. 1873, Wm. Harrison was Reeve. The Council for 1878 are: Wm. Trench, Reeve; Dr. Langstaff, P. G. Savage, Wm. Powell, Benj. Riddits. Matthew Teefy has been Town Clerk and Treasurer from the organization of the Council until the present time. The population is in the neighborhood of 900. Midway between Richmond Hill and the station is the tidy village of Patterson, whose tasty cottages around the factory indicate thrift and comfort.

Lancaster P. O. is on Yonge street, a mile north of Thornhill.

WOODBRIDGE is an important village situated on the Humber, a station of the T. G. & B. R. R. Mr. John Abell's foundry and machine shop employs some 200 men, where agricultural implements are manufactured. The lumber trade and other business done here gives animation to the place. The population is in the neighborhood of 1200. Brownsville is a little south of Woodbridge, and northward is the village of Pine Grove. In this region may be seen the old pioneer roads, devious and roundabout. From Pine Grove, taking an angular course across the concessions, is the road leading to Klineburg, also on the Humber, and a mile and a half from the station of the station of the T. G. & B. R. R. It has a population of between 5 and 600. Eastward is Purpleville P.O., then Teston, and southward on the Northern R. R., is Maple, the station for Richmond Hill. In the southern part of the township are Edgeley and Concord.

NUMBER OF VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF VAUGHAN FOR 1878.

Owners	756
Tenants	517
Farmers Sons	68
Occupants	1
Income Tax	3

Total..... 1345.

Abstract of Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of Vaughan for 1877.

Balance in Treasurer's hands from 1876.....	\$5,320.28.
Total receipts from Taxes and Miscellaneous items for 1877.....	22,308.64
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	22,534.10

Excess of Expenditure over Receipts for 1877 \$225.56

JAMES NATTRASS,
JOHN ARMSTRONG, } AUDITORS.

TAXES FOR 1877.

Township Tax	6,599.04
County Tax	4,423.58
School Assessment	5,264.85
Non-resident Taxes unaccounted for by County Treasurer in 1877.....	1072.14
Total Taxes	\$17,359.61

TOWNSHIP OF ETOBICOKE.

A map in the Crown Lands Department, dated at Newark, 1793, by Abraham Iredell, asst. Deputy Surveyor, has written upon it that "The river, Toby Cook, is a rapid stream of water. The land in the bottom good, but much cut to pieces with the high water. On the rear boundary line from the river Toby Cook to the large stream of water, on lot No. 15 the land is very good. From the stream to the north angle is a Burr and Pine Plain; from thence to the said stream, from the stream to lot No. 9, burnt land, but tolerable good; from thence to the lake, good. The land west of the 100 acres lots on the line, N. 16, W. is good to lot No. 7, but low land to No. 13; the other lot good." The name Toby Cook is also seen on other maps. In 1811, however, the name Etobicoke appears on an official plan of the township. A considerable tract of land in this township was granted to Col. Smith of the Queen's Rangers, and was known as Col. Smith's Tract. In 1795, Iredell surveyed the "Militia Lands" of the township. Augustus Jones surveyed a part of the boundary in 1797. Hambly surveyed some portion 1798, Wilnot in 1806-11; Ridout in 1814, Hawkins in 1834, and Castle in 1838.

Although less in acreage than most of the other townships, Etobicoke occupies an important position in the county. The shape of the township it is impossible to define, and it is difficult to comprehend the division into concessions. This has arisen from the time and manner of the original surveys. We have here a good instance of the practice first followed of laying out the lots as to obtain a frontage upon a water way. In the first survey the contiguous lands were laid out to front on Lake Ontario, the Humber and Etobicoke Creek. The southern portion of the township east and west is bounded by these two streams, and their devious course produces an extensive line of broken front. The portion fronting on the lake is divided into two parts and are mostly in the southern half of the township. They were originally separated by the tract of land granted to Col. Smith. This tract now forms the 4th and 5th concessions of the southern division. The northern division consists of two concessions. West of these, along the Etobicoke creek, is an irregular fragment, with angular lots of various shapes and sizes, designated by the alphabet from A to I. The southern part of the lots fronting on the Humber is divided into five small concessions, numbered from west to east. Then we have the Meridian concessions, and the Ranges, formerly the Kingsmill Reserve. Nearly two-thirds of the northern portion of the township is laid out more regularly, fronting on the Humber. The eastern half is divided into concessions A, B, and C. The western half is divided into concessions I, II, III, and an extensive gore with the base at the northern extremity.

The Domesday book contains the following account of the first grantees:

Etobicoke—Southern Division—On the river Etobicoke, John Thorn, 1806; John Campbell, Caleb Humphrey, Edward Heazell, John Vanzant, Esther Berden Davison, Joseph Shaw, all received 200 acres patented in 1806-7 and 9. On Lake Ontario and the Humber:—Robt. Gray, 1811; John Gamble, Richard Wilson, 1802. 1st con. or western meridian con. Francis Bark, 1801; Robt. Richardson, 1806; Isaac Mitchell, 1805; William Lee, 1816; Isaac Pilkington, 1803; Robt. Gray, 1804; Sergeant Patrick Mealy, 798. 2nd con., Wm. Halton, 1811; Thomas Tivy, 1799; Geo. McDonald, 804; Samuel Giles, 1803; Wm. Hooten, 1801; John Beery 1804; Alex. Thomson, 1803; Lt. Col. Smiths Queen's Rangers Tract. Christian Chisholm, 1801; Eliz Christie, 1801; John Gould, 1806; John Claus, 1806; Samuel Smith, 1806. 3rd con., Abm. Cameron, 1801; Wm. Calder, 1801; Adam Baker, jr., 1801; Samuel Smith, 1806. 4th con., John Earle, 1807; Barnabas McGuire, 1801; Wm. Clarke, 1801; Samuel Smith, 1806. 5th con., Elias Smith, 1806; John Earle, 1807; Ann Christie, 1801; Geo. Bender, 1801; S. Smith, 1806. Broken Front. 1st con., Sergeant Patrick Mealy, 1798; Jas. Crawford, 1800; Wm. Hooten, 1801; Joseph Hunt, 1799; Daniel Stewart, 1804; S. Smith, 1806; John Claus, 1806. Northern division fronting towards Lake Ontario. Andrew Morrow, 1807; Thomas Cosby, 1823; Gerhard Himok, 1807; Thos. B. Gough, 1807; Moses Dewar, 1807; Jacob Pimme, 1823; Fronting on the Humber broken front, Dorothy Arnold, 1807; Hon. Robert Hamilton, 1802; John Gamble, 1802; Michael Miller, 1803; Jas. Crawford, 1800; Thomas Moseley, 1800. Broken front con. B. Hon. R. Hamilton, 1802; Eleonora Stevenson 1810; John Gamble, 1802; James Daly 1828; Dan Laughlin, 1803; Michael Miller, 1803; J. Crawford, 1800; Francis Stevenson, 1801; T. Mosely, 1800; John Doggett, 1801; T. Tivy, 1799; Jas. Hunt, 1799; W. Hooten, 1801. Con. A., Hon. R. Hamilton, 1802; F. Stevenson, 1801; J. Gamble 1802; Leah Tyron Gamble, 1801; T. Mosely, 1800; J. Doggett 1804; T. Tivy, 1799; J. Hunt, 1799; J. Mitchell, 1802; S. Stevenson, 1802; Sarah Powell, 1815; Harriet Hainer, 1810; Arch Cameron, 1800. 1st con. Hon. R. Hamilton, 1802; A. Brigham, 1802, Eleonora Moore, 1809; Richard Wilson, 1802; Francis Barke, 1801; Sarah E. Evert, et. al. 1836; Joseph Stoneborong, 1832; Leah T. Gamble, 1801; Thos. Mosely, 1800; J. Doggett, 1801; Elizabeth Stevenson, 1810; Abneg Morthem, 1823; J. Hunt, 1799; Sarah Powells, 1815; Archibald Cameron, 1800; S. Stevenson, 1803; Harriet Hainer, 1810. 2nd Con. John Gamble, 1802; J. Crawford, 1800; B. William, 1802; F. Barker, 1801; Christopher Widmer, 1817; F. Stevenson, 1801; Leah T. Gamble, 1801; Eleonora Moore, 1809; Louisa Stevenson, 1815; Harriet Hainer 1810; John Augustus Stevenson, 1821. 3rd con. F. Stevenson, 1801; Louisa Stevenson, 1809; F. H. Stevenson, 1815; J. A. Stevenson, 1821; John Gamble, 1802; Catherine Magdalen Gamble, 1801; Elizabeth Moore 1809; Simcoe Stevenson, 1810; L. Stevenson, 1809; David Townsend Stevenson, 1819; F. H. Stevenson, 1815; J. A. Stevenson, 1821. 4th con. Elizabeth Stevenson, 1818; Sarah Powells, S. Stevenson, H. Hainer, A. Cameron, J. Doggett, George Gowland, F. Stevenson, Thos. Whitaker, S. Stevenson, D. F. Stevenson received more or less at the dates above mentioned. The Canada Company received patents for a number of lots, also King's College, in different places. Kingsmill Reserve, 1st range, John Gamble, 1812; Rectory Christ Church, 1836; Trustees of Christ Church several lots. 2nd range, patents issued 1835 and 6 to Christ Church. 3rd range, also a number of lots to Christ Church; Thomas Fisher, 1835. 4th range to Christ Church, 1836. 5th range, the same. Reservation of the mouth of Humber, Chas. Gamble, Wm. Gamble, lot B. 1840.

Municipal Records.—Mr. McPherson obligingly allowed us access to the minutes of the township council. He possesses no records of the township meetings prior to 1850.

In the "Etobicoke Municipality Minute Book, 1850," at the first meeting the township is divided into five wards, and the boundaries of each is defined. The following had been elected by the township meeting officers for the year: Ward 1, Peter Van Every was returning-officer and Moses Appleby, councillor; Ward 2, Edward Musson, return-

ing-officer, Thomas Fisher, councillor; Ward 3, John Morse, returning-officer, Wm. Gamble, councillor; Ward 4, Thomas Balton, returning-officer, John Geddes, councillor. The first meeting of the Council held on Monday, January 21, 1850, at Mr. Kay's Inn, Dundas street, at twelve o'clock, noon, when all the councillors were present, and took the oath of qualification, after which they proceeded to the election of Town Reeve and Deputy Reeve. "Moved by Thomas Fisher, seconded by William R. Wadsworth, that Wm. Gamble be the Town Reeve—carried. Moved by John Gedde, seconded by M. Appleby, that W. B. Wadsworth, be Deputy Reeve—carried. The chairman having addressed the meeting the Council proceeded to business. The standing rules of the Township Council were read and adopted. Moved by Mr. Wadsworth, seconded by Mr. Fisher, that the Reeve be directed to get a design for, and ascertain the cost of a corporate seal and submit the same to the Council at its next meeting—Carried." A committee was appointed consisting of Wadsworth and Geddes to enquire concerning a blind man, asking for aid. The Petition of John Burkholder and Benjamin Johnson, School Trustees of Section 8 was received. Resolved, that the Town Clerk do advertise for a suitable person to officiate as Treasurer and Town Clerk, the applicant to be a resident of the Township; salary to be £20 per annum. Steps were taken to procure the statutes, acts, books, and stationery for the Council. The Council then adjourned, signed "Ed. Musson, Clerk and treasurer, Wm. Gamble, Reeve." At the second meeting of the Council Ed. Musson was appointed Clerk; Wm. Cambers and Alex. Campbell, Auditors, with remuneration of 5s. each day's service. It was resolved that the monthly meetings of the Council should be held in rotation at the following places: Heap's tavern, Stonehouse's school-house, Adam Armstrong's tavern, Court's tavern, Heap's tavern, Mrs. Smith's tavern, Wal-laby's tavern, Armstrong's tavern, John Hales, tavern, T. Smith's. Geo. Roper was appointed Coll.; Thos. Van Every, Thomas Bolton and John Gardhouse, Ass. A report was presented to the Council by the Superintendent of Common Schools. Among a number of statements he says that he deems it expedient to present to the Council an account of the present educational facilities, the result of a personal inspection of the schools, as well as of interviews with teachers and trustees. The number of Schools or Sections is eight, seven of which are in operation. "In No. 8 difficulties and differences respecting the school are withholding from the inhabitants the means of education." The school-houses generally are good and in tolerable repair. But in No. 5 the building is a mere hovel, dark and dilapidated; entirely unfit for the purpose of a School. However the teacher says it is in contemplation to erect a suitable building. Much requires to be done in the way of furnishing school requisites, as maps, &c. The teachers have all received certificates from Mr. Hunter, the late District Superintendent. There are 333 scholars between the ages of 5 and 16 on the rolls of the different schools, and there are ten over 16. Two-thirds of the scholars are boys. There is one free school in the Township, but there is a want of interest on the part of the parents. There are 214 who write; 13 are studying French, 8 studying Latin. The report is signed by Thos. J. Hodgskin, and dated 1st April, 1850.

The following cash was paid during the year by the township; for bridges, £98 11s. 4d.; for printing and stationery, £21 1s. 3d.; School Assessments, £179; contingencies, £20 13s. 7d.; salaries, £75, 6s. 1d.; School funds, £89 0s, 9d.; cash in hand to balance, £179, 15s. 8d.

The Councillors elected for 1851 were for Ward 1, Moses Appleby, Ward 2, Alex. McFarlane; Ward 3, Andrew Ward; Ward 4, Joseph Smith; Ward 5, Jno. Geddes; Inspector of taverns, Herod Noble, Joseph Ward, Launcelot Shaw, Jno. Foster and Geo. Roper. The Council being met at Mimico, 12th January, Joseph Smith was elected Reeve, and Andrew Ward Dep. Reeve; Jno. B. Bagnell being Clerk and Treasurer.

In 1852, the council consisted of J. Smith, Reeve Andrew Ward, Dep. Reeve; J. Smith, Jno. Geddes, McFarlane; J. B. Bagnell, township Clerk and Treasurer.

The council for 1853, J. Smith, Reeve; A. Ward, Dep. Reeve. For 1854, J. Smith, Reeve; A. Ward, Dep. Reeve; Jas. Ward, clerk and Treasurer. 1855, Alex. McFarlane, Reeve; A. Ward, Dep. Reeve; Jos. Dawson, township Clerk and Treasurer. 1856, McFarlane, Reeve; Wm. M. Ross, D. R., Dawson, Clerk and Treasurer. 1857, McFarlane, R.; Ross, D. R.; Dawson Clerk and Treasurer. 1858, Edward Musson, R.; Wallis, D. R.; Dawson, Clerk and Treasurer. 1859, Musson, R.; Wm. R. Wadsworth, D. R.; Dawson, Sect. 1860, Musson, R.; Wadsworth, D. R.; Wm. R. Scott, C. and T. 1861, Musson, R.; Canning, D.R.; Scott C. & T. 1862, Musson, R.; Canning, D. R.; 1863, Musson, R.; Wallis, D. R.; Scott C. and T. 1864, Musson, R.; Wallis, D. R.; Scott, C. and T. Mr. Scott was succeeded as Clerk and Treasurer on the 7th March, by Mr. Bell. In 1865-66, Wallis, R.; Taylor, D. R.; Bell, C. and T. Mr. Bell remained in the position only part of the year, when Alexander McPherson was appointed in his place, who has continued to fill the position to the present time. 1867, Wallis, R.; Taylor, D. R. 1868-9-70, Wallis, R.; Canning, D. R. 1871, Canning, R.; P. Wardlaw, D. R. 1872, Canning, R.; E. C. Fisher, D. R. 1873, Canning, R.; Clark, D. R. 1874, A. Wallis, R.; Jonathan Orth, D. R. 1875, Wallis, R.; Orth, D. R. 1876, Wallis, R.; R. Wilcock, D. R. 1877, Matthew Canning, R.; Robert Wilcock, D. R. Municipal officers for 1878, Reeve, Matthew Canning, Islington, Deputy Reeve, Robert Wilcock, Richview. Councillors, George Garbutt, Thistletown; James Kellam, Highfield, and Joseph F. Brown, Summerville. Clerk and Treasurer, Alexander McPherson, Islington, Assessors for 1878, Adam E. Mather, Islington, and John F. Hill, Weston.

According to the census of 1871 the township contains 29,540 acres, and a population of 2,985. It is regarded as one of the best agricultural townships in the Province. At the south-east of the township on the Humber, and the Lake, a good deal of attention has of late years been given to market gardening. Wm. Burgess, celebrated for many years past for taking prizes at agricultural exhibitions for roots, &c., lives here. Strawberry cultivation has been successfully followed in this section for some three years. The southern portion of the township is well adapted for fruit growing; the northern excels for grain. The industries of the township are the Etobicoke agricultural works on the Humber near Lambton Mills, owned by Jacob C. Atkinson. Brick factories in different parts. There are also flouring mills and saw mills on the Humber. A large quantity of milk is daily furnished to the city by Etobicoke.

The township has twelve churches and nine schools. At Mimico and on the lake shore, within the last few years, a number of persons from Toronto have purchased lots and erected villas for summer residences.

Following the Dundas Street to the Humber we have the picturesque village of Lambton whose mills are so well known. A short distance

further on the same road brings us to Islington, the residence of the township clerk. The road continues its south-west course diagonally across two concessions, and then follows the concession line to the limits of the township, where it again turns southward. Here is the village of Summerville. The other villages in the township are Mimico, near the lake, and Thistletown, Smithfield and Clairville in the northern part of the township. Weston is also partly situated in Etobicoke.

NUMBER OF VOTERS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF ETOBICOKE FOR 1878.

Owners.....	388
Tenants.....	269
Farmers Sons.....	33
Total.....	690

Abstract of Receipts and Expenditures of the Township of Etobicoke for 1877.

Balance in Treasurer's hands from 1876.....	\$2,055.39
Total receipts from Taxes and Miscellaneous items for 1877.....	9,605.87
Total disbursements for all purposes.....	10,186.97
Excess of Expenditure over Receipts for 1877.....	\$581.10

JOHN C. FERRIER,
WM. STONEHOUSE, } AUDITORS.

TAXES FOR 1877.

Township Tax.....	2,569.07
County Tax.....	1,904.62
Dog Tax.....	340.00
School Assessment.....	3,446.11
Total Taxes.....	\$ 8,259.80

COUNCILLORS OF THE HOME DISTRICT, ELECTED JANUARY 1842.

Who took the required oaths, and their seats, February 1842, pursuant to the 4th and 5th of Victoria, chapter 10.

NAMES	TOWNSHIP REPRESENTED.
Adam, James.....	Oro McMillan, Archd.....North Gwillimbury
Allison, William.....	Markham Mitchell, W. H.....Pickering
Armsen, William.....	West Gwillimbury McKechnie, Alexander.....Vaughan
Bell, George.....	Caledon McQuarrie, Donald.....Caledon
Cameron, Kenneth.....	Thorah McCullough, Hy.(elec'd May, 1842) Adjala
Campbell, Francis.....	Chinguaousy McCrea,.....Mara and Rama
Campbell, Alexander.....	Pickering Nelson, William.....East Gwillimbury
Campaign, Wm.....	Mulmur & Tossorontio Pearson, James.....Whitechurch
Carswell, John.....	Tecumseh Perry, Peter.....Whitby
Clark, William.....	Scarborough Phillips, Samuel E.....King
Crews, William.....	Toronto Ross, Robert.....Vespra
Dallas, James.....	North and South Orillia Scarlett, John.....York
Duff, Thomas.....	Essa Simpson, William.....Tiny and Tay
Gamble, J. W.....	Etobicoke Skae, Edward.....Whitby
Garbutt, John.....	West Gwillimbury Smith, Walker B.....Whitechurch
Gould Joseph.....	Uxbridge and Scott Snell, George.....Mono
Grant, Simon P.....	Toronto Gore Stewart, Henry.....King
Grubb, Jno.....	Etobicoke Thompson, William.....Toronto
Hamilton, James.....	Chinguaousy Tomlinson, Joseph.....Markham
Hammell, William.....	Tecumseh Torrance, John.....Scarborough
Hurd, Abner.....	Reuch Warbrick, James.....Albion
Jacks, Franklin.....	York Way, Rueben B.....Brook
Johnson, James.....	Albion Wilson, Hugh D.....East Gwillimbury
Johnson, William.....	Georgina Wilson, George.....Medonte and Flos
Keenan, James.....	Adjala Warnica, George.....Innisfil
Kline, Nicholas J.....	Vaughan

1843.—MEMBERS OF THE HOME DISTRICT M. COUNCIL.—Allison, Clarke (of Caledon), Clarke (of Scarboro), Cameron, Crews, Empey, Goodfellow, Grant, Grubb, Farewell, Hurd, Jackes, Johnson, of Georgina, Johnson, of Chinguaousy, Mitchell, Melburn, Nelson, Pearson, Scarlett, Stern, Thompson, Tomlinson, Torrance, Way, Wilson, E. W. Thompson, Warden; J. Elliott, Clerk. 1844.—Members.—Bennett, Eccles, Empey, Gould, Goodfellow, Grant, Grubb, Graham, Jones, Jackes, Johnson, Johnson, Kline, Knight, Milburn, Miller, Nelson, Price, Stewart, Torrance, Tyson, Turner, "right, E. W. Thompson, Warden; J. Elliott, Clerk. Superintendents of Education appointed this year were for the township of Markham, Rev. Geo. Galloway, Whitechurch, Jo. Hartman; Georgina, Jas. Fairbairns; King, John Watson, sen.; East Gwillimbury, John D. Wilson; North Gwillimbury, Oliver Barton; York, Elihu Pease; Scarboro', Rev. Jos. George; Etobicoke, Wm. Learmont; Vaughan, Dr. Adam. 1845.—Members.—Barker, Bennett, Baldwin, Campbell, Davidson, Eccles, Empey, Farewell, Fisher, Gamble, Graham, Jones, Jackes, Knight, Miller, Milburn, McDonagh, Perry, Silver, Trent, Thompson, Tyson, Vrooman, E. W. Thompson, Warden; J. Elliott, Clerk. 1846.—Members.—Baldwin, Clarke, Campbell, Eccles, Empey, Gamble, Gould, Harold, Jones, Jackes, Knight, Miller, Mitchell, Paterson, Price, Stubbs, Sleightholme, Tyson, Vrooman, G. Wright, J. Wright, Farewell, Thompson, J. Gamble, Kline, Milburn, E. W. Thompson Warden; J. Elliott, Clerk. 1847.—Barker, Bennett, Campbell, Fisher, W. Gamble, J. Gamble, Gould, Hamilton, Harold, Hartman, Jackes, James, Kline, Lindsay, Miller, Mitchell, Milburn, McDonagh, Paterson, Perry, Price, Silver, Secor, Stubbs, Sleightholme, Thompson, Tyson, Trent, Vrooman, Vernon, Wright, M. P. Empey, Warden. J. Elliott, Clerk. 1848.—Members.—Barker, Bennett, Campbell, Draper, Empey, Fisher, Farewell, J. Gamble, W. Gamble, Gould, Glendenning, Hamilton, Harold, Hartman, Hurd, Jackes, James, Kline, Knight, Lindsay, Miller, Mitchell, McDonagh, Park, Perry, Price, Proctor, Sproule, Secor, Sterne, Stubbs, Sleightholme, Thompson, Vrooman, Vernon, M. P. Empey, Warden; J. Elliott, Clerk. 1849.—Members.—Abercrombie, Barker, Bennett, Burns, Burrill, Campbell, Empey, Evans, Fisher, J. Gamble, W. Gamble, Gould, Glendenning, Hamilton, Harold, Hartman, Hughes, Jackes, James, Kline, Knight, Lindsay, Millard, Miller, Mitchell, McGregor, McDonagh, Parke, Perry, Price, Proctor, Secor, Sproule, Thompson, Vrooman, Vernon, Wright, W. P. Empey, Warden; J. Elliott, Clerk.

THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

In 1850 the Municipal Council of the County of York came into operation. The Council consists of the Reeves and Deputy-Reeves of the several townships. The officers appointed by the Council for 1850: Franklin Jackes, Warden; Jas. S. Howard, Treasurer; John Elliott, Clerk; Fred. Cumberland, Engineer; Robt. Moore, and John Wilnot, Auditors. For 1851, principal officers the same. 1852, John W. Gamble, Warden; Howard, Treasurer; Elliott, Clerk. 1853, Jo. Hartman, Warden; Howard, Treasurer; Elliott, Clerk. 1854, J. W. Gamble, Warden; Howard, Treasurer; Elliott, Clerk. Trustees of Grammar Schools city of Toronto: J. McMurich, Robt. Cathart, D. Hayes, Richard Hill, Rev. D. E. Blake, J. K. Armstrong, J. Boyd, Newmarket; Thos. Nixon, J. Watson, Dr. T. Pyne, Local Superintendents of Common Schools: York, Rev. J. Wrightman; and Georgina, T. Nixon; King, W. Moore; Vaughan and Etobicoke, Rev. J. G. Armstrong. 1855-56-57-58-59, Hartman, Warden; Howard, Treasurer; Elliott, Clerk. Reesor, Warden; Howard, Treasurer; Elliott, Clerk. 1861, John P. Wheeler, Warden; Treasurer and Clerk the same. 1862-63, the same. 1864, W. Tyrrell, Warden. 1865, H. S. Howland, '66, the same. 1867, Howland, Warden; J. K. Macdonad, Treasurer, succeeds Mr. Howard. 1868-69, Wm. A. Wallis, Warden. 1870, Jas. Parnham, Warden; J. K. Macdonald, Treasurer. 1871, Peter Patterson, Warden. 1872-73, Wm. H. Thorne, Warden. 1874, Wm. Cane, Warden, and Geo. Eakin succeeds Mr. Elliott as Clerk. 1875, Jas. Speight, Warden. 1876, Wm. C. Patterson, Warden. 1877, Jas. Robinson, Warden.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF YORK FOR 1878.

N. C. WALLACE, Esq. (Woodbridge), *Warden*.

Etobicoke,	Mat. Canning,	Reeve,	Islington
	Robt. Wilcocks,	Deputy-Reeve,	Islington
Georgina,	Jas. Anderson,	Reeve,	Georgina
	Michael Baker,	Deputy-Reeve,	Pefferlaw
North Gwillimbury,	Willard Bennett,	Reeve,	Bellhaven
	Thos. Scott,	Deputy-Reeve,	Georgina
East Gwillimbury,	Wm. Rowen,	Reeve,	Sharon
	Wilfred Pegg,	Deputy-Reeve,	Newmarket
	Chas. Travis,	do	Holt
King,	Joseph Stokes,	Reeve,	Kettelby
	Chas. Hamby,	Deputy-Reeve,	Nobleton
	Arthur Armstrong,	do	Lloydton
Markham,	Jas. Robinson,	Reeve,	Markham
	B. F. Reesor,	Deputy-Reeve,	Cedar Grove
	David Jones,	do	Thornhill
Scarboro,	D. G. Stephenson,	Reeve,	Scarboro' Junction
	Wm. Tredway,	Deputy-Reeve,	Highland Creek
	Jas. Chester,	do	Woburn
Vaughan,	W. C. Patterson,	Reeve,	Patterson
	N. C. Wallace,	Deputy-Reeve,	Woodbridge
	Daniel Kinnie,	do	Teston
	J. L. Card,	do	Pine Grove
Whitchurch,	Maxon Jones,	Reeve,	Bloomington
	J. C. Lundy,	Deputy-Reeve,	Pine Orchard
	Thos. Lloyd,	do	Gormley
	Wm. Tyrrell,	Reeve,	Weston
	Wm. Jackson,	Deputy-Reeve,	Eglinton
York,	C. L. Denison,	do	Brockton
	W. Clark,	do	Fairbank
	W. Goulding,	do	Newtonbrook
Yorkville,	S. Wickson,	Reeve,	
	Joseph Gibson,	Deputy-Reeve,	
	B. Saunders,	do	
Newmarket,	E. Jackson,	Reeve,	
	Stias Lundy,	Deputy-Reeve,	
Holland Landing,	J. B. Evans,	Reeve,	
Aurora,	Joseph Fleury,	Reeve,	
Markham Village,	Jas. Speight,	Reeve,	
Richmond Hill,	Wm. Trench,	Reeve,	
Stouffville,	Jas. Dogherty,	Reeve,	

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Judge, Kenneth Mackenzie, Q.C., Senior Judge.
 " John Boyd, Esq., Junior Judge.
 Sheriff, F. W. Jarvis, Esq.
 Deputy-Sheriff, Henry Skynner.
 Registrar, John Ridout, South Riding (Toronto).
 " J. J. Pearson, North Riding (Newmarket).
 County Clerk, George Eakin.
 Treasurer, John K. Macdonald.
 Clerk of the Peace, T. H. Bull, Esq.
 County Engineer, John T. Stokes.
 High Constable, John T. Jones, Esq.

MAYORS OF THE CITY OF TORONTO.

From the Date of its Incorporation in the year 1834, to the year 1878.

1834 William Lyon Mackenzie.	1858 William Henry Boulton.
1835 Hon. Robert Baldwin Sullivan, Q.C.	David Breckenridge Read, Q.C.
1836 Thomas D. Morrison, M.D.	1859-60 Hon. Adam Wilson, Q.C.
1837 George Gurnett.	John Carr, President of Council
1838-39-40 John Powell.	1861-62-63 John George Bowes.
1841 George Monro.	1864-65-66 Francis H. Medcalf.
1842-43-44 Hon. Henry Sherwood, Q.C.	1867-68 James E. Smith.
1845-46-47 William Henry Boulton.	1869-70 Samuel Bickerton Harman.
1848-49-50 George Gurnett.	1871-72 Joseph Sheard.
1851-52-53 John George Bowes.	1873 Alexander Manning.
1854 Joshua George Beard.	1874-75 Francis H. Medcalf.
1855 Hon. George William Allan.	1876-77-78 Angus Morrison.
1856 Hon. John Beverley Robinson.	
1857 John Hutchinson.	

A LIST OF THE MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

AND PRINCIPAL CIVIC OFFICIALS OF THE CITY OF TORONTO, IN THE YEAR 1834.
WILLIAM LYON MACKENZIE, Mayor.

WARD.	ALDERMEN	COUNCILMEN.
St. Andrew.	{ Thos. D. Morrison, M. D. John Harper.	John Armstrong. John Doel.
St. David.	{ Wm. L. Mackenzie. James Lessie.	Franklin Jackson. Colin Drummond.
St. George.	{ Thos. Carfrae, jr. Edward Wright.	John Craig. George Gurnett.
St. Lawrence.	George Monro.	William Arthurs.
	{ George Duggan, sr. William Cawthra.	{ Lardner Bostwick. Joshua G. Beard.
St. Patrick.	{ John E. Tims, M.D. Geo. T. Denison, sr.	Joseph Turtan. James Trotter.

CIVIC OFFICERS.

James Harvey Price, City Clerk.
 Charles Barnhart, Governor of the Gaol.
 Mr. Duggan was unelected by judicial decision, and Mr. Cawthra declared duly elected and took his seat 1st May.

Mr. Beard was elected 15th September, in place of Mr. Bostwick, deceased.
 Dr. Rolph refused to be sworn into office after being elected. Dr. Tims was elected in his stead, and took his seat 25th April.
 Mr. Walton was Chamberlain till his death in July, 1834, and was succeeded by Mr. McCord.

The Mayor was elected from year to year by the members of the Council from among themselves until the year 1859, when, in accordance with the Municipal Act, the election was made by the people. Mr. Adam Wilson, Q.C., now Mr. Justice Wilson, was the first to be elected by the vote of the people. Election by the people continued until 1867, when the Council again chose one of their own number, and continued to do so until 1874, when again the office was filled by the general vote, which has continued to the present time.

James Henry Price, the first city clerk, continued in the office until the 28th Feb. 1855, when he was succeeded by Mr. Charles Daly, who continued to fill the office until 1865. Mr. John Carr succeeded him, and remained City Clerk until the 7th July 1871, when he was appointed City Commissioner. Mr. Stephen Rodolff followed Mr. Carr, and filled the post until his death, 12th Oct., 1876. Mr. Robert Roddy, the present occupant was then appointed.

Mr. Andrew T. McCord, the first Chamberlain, continued to occupy that position down to the 26th Oct., 1874, when Mr. Samuel Harman was chosen to fill the office, which he still does.

Mr. Charles Barnhart, governor of the jail in 1834, continued in that office until 1836, when Mr. John Kidd, sr., was appointed. He remained in office until 1841 and was succeeded by Mr. John Kidd, jr. Mr. Kidd remained in office until 1852, and was followed by Mr. George L. Allan, who remained there until 1872, when he resigned, and was succeeded by Mr. John Green the present occupant.

Mr. George Kingsmill was appointed Chief of Police in 1835; Mr. James Stilt, in 1836; George Kingsmill, in 1837, and remained in that office until 1847. He was succeeded by George L. Allan, who filled the place until 1852, and was followed by Samuel Sherwood. He was succeeded by W. S. Prince, in 1859, who occupied the office until his resignation, 1874, Major. F. C. Draper the present chief succeeded him.

In 1838, Thomas D. Harris was appointed Chief Engineer, Fire Brigade. In 1842 he was followed by Robert Beard. James Armstrong was appointed in 1847, followed by Robert Beard in 1848, who continued in office until 1851, and was succeeded by James Ashfield, who now holds the position.

In 1840 Clarke Gamble was appointed City Solicitor, and continued in office until 1864. Hon. John B. Robinson, the present occupant, was his successor. C.R.W. Bigger, was appointed associate in 1873, and resigned on 15th May, 1876, and was succeeded by Wm. C. McWilliams.

The office of City Engineer was filled, in 1840, by Thomas Young, John G. Howard succeeded him in 1843, and was followed in 1853 by Wm. Thomas for one year, when Mr. Howard again filled the post. In 1855 Wm. Kingsford was appointed. The following year Thomas H. Harrison; 1857, Thomas Booth, 1859, Alfred Brunel; 1860, J. H. Bennet; 1872, Charles W. Johnson, and in 1875, Frank Shanley.

In 1850 the office of Recorder was filled by George Duggan, who maintained the place until 1868.

The office of Police Magistrate was first occupied in 1851, by George Gurnett. In 1862 George Boomer succeeded him. Alex. MacNabb followed in 1866, and the present occupant, Col. G. T. Denison, in 1878.

The office of City Commissioner was created in 1871, and first filled by John Carr. He resigned 24th June, 1872, and James B. Boustead discharged the duties of the office. On the 3rd March, 1878, Emerson Coatsworth was appointed and still holds the position.

S. B. Harman was appointed Assistant Commissioner in 1873, and filled the office until his appointment as City Treasurer in 1874. Mr. S. G. Ridout was appointed Acting Assessment Commissioner in 1875.

In 1872, in accordance with an Act of Parliament, the City of Toronto was authorized to construct and manage a system of water works through the agency of commissioners, four of whom were to be elected biennially—two from East and two from West Toronto—the Mayor being *ex-officio* the fifth commissioner.

The persons elected were John Worthington, Hon. G. W. Allan, Samuel Platt, Robert Bell. Mr. Worthington was elected chairman; John Boyd was appointed secretary. In 1874, Mr. Worthington having died, John Greenless was elected. In 1878 the Board was abolished, and the management of the Works was given to a Committee of the Corporation.

CONCLUDING REMARKS.

In the foregoing sketch of the settlement, growth and development of York, we have not found it possible to allude to many events, and personal incidents which could be embraced in a more elaborate history. The struggles, the successes, and the failures which marked the early times must form an interesting chapter in the history of the country. The pioneers have nearly all passed away; only a few linger upon the stage to remind us by their presence, and trembling speech of the early days of York. It is a pity that no systematic effort is made to collect and preserve the traditionary lore of the settlement of the Province. In 1869 the writer published his "settlement of Upper Canada." This was followed by the organization of the York Pioneers Society, the object of which was to collect and preserve "whatever memorials of the local past might be found to be yet extant." They appointed Dr. Scadding, the Historiographer of the Society, and he from time to time, read to the Pioneers his "Collections and Recollections" of York. Ultimately these valuable papers resulted in the volume entitled, "Toronto of Old," from which we have repeatedly quoted.

In our task of collecting and arranging facts relating to the County, we have been placed under obligations to different individuals who have been duly credited. But we are especially indebted to the Rev. Dr. Carroll for a number of interesting items, which, had they been in our hands would have been presented in the first pages of this sketch. Dr. Carroll is the first and best authority on matters relating to the Methodist Denomination of which he is a gifted and honorable member; but he is as well an authority on matters relating to early York, having come to the place in 1814, when but five years of age, and while the town was yet depopulated from war, and the standing chimneys marked where the enemy had applied the torch to the quiet homes of the inhabitants.

The following facts which will form the conclusion of our work, are taken from an interesting memoir kindly furnished by Dr. Carroll:

The honor of being the first white child born in York is claimed for several persons. There appeared in print in 1863 a notice of the death of Mr. Wm. Knott, who died at the house of Mr. John Bright, on the Kingston Road, aged 70. He was the son of a private in the Queen's Rangers, and was born in the old fort; and it was said he was the first child born of European parents in Little York. He was at the taking of Detroit, at Queenston Heights, and the battle of York. Dr. Carroll who knew Mr. Knott, and who knows Mr. Bright, recently enquired of Mr. B. concerning the first person born in York. Mr. Bright, who came here in 1801 "when the place did not contain more than a dozen houses," says that Edward Wright, who at one time kept a hotel at the corner of John and Wellington streets was the first child born, and that Mr. Knott, who was his brother-in-law, was born at Mackinaw. But Mr. John Smith, who lives east of the Don, claims that the first was either his uncle Samuel Smith, or Mr. Peat, born in 1794. One of the first natives of York was the late Sir Allan McNabb. In this connection we may state that Mr. Joseph M. Sanders, of Tilsonburg, informs us that the first two white children born in the township of Markham, were John Stivers and Henry Elson, whose parents belonged to the Berzzy settlers.

The First Clergymen.—Dr. Carroll has interesting recollections of the schools in York after the war, and the first churches, preaching places and clergymen. The fence about St. James Church had been burned by the Americans, and the building was without paint or steeple. This caused some rhymster to scrawl upon the door, "If Dr. Strachan would have the good will of his people, He should paint his church and build a steeple." Apart from the English Church, the first minister in York was a Rev. Mr. Cook, called sometimes a Presbyterian, but really a Congregationalist, who preached from time to time in the Parliament building; but he failed to establish a church. From 1820-24 or 1825, the Baptists and Congregationalists combined, had sermons in the school house under the masonic lodge. The Rev. Alexander Stewart, a Baptist, preached here for three years, as indicated in the text, Acts xx, 31-34, from which he preached his last sermon. He had lived by teaching school. After Mr. Stewart, Mr. Wilks, father of Rev. Dr. Wilks, of Montreal, held services; also Mr. Redpath, and Elders Marsh, father and son from Whitby. The first Presbyterian clergyman was settled in York in 1823, the Rev. Jos. Harris, for whom Jesse Ketchum built a church, and whom he gave his daughter for a wife. Mr. Harris was ordained by Rev. Mr. Smart, who came on horseback from Brockville, for the purpose, accompanied by Dr. Scofield and by Mr. Jenkins, of Markham.

Early Methodists.—The town and county of York received more or less attention from the itinerant Methodists from the States, from the beginning of the present century at least. "There can be no doubt but that the Rev. Joseph Jewell, Presiding Elder of the U. C. District, preached in both the village and county in his quarterly journeys from 1799 to 1802. York was mid-way between the Bay of Quinte and Niagara Circuits, and was reached from time to time by the preachers of one or the other. In 1802-3 there was a circuit called the "Bay of Quinte and Home District," with three ministers to travel and officiate, viz:—Joseph Sawyer, Peter Van West and Nathan Bangs, afterwards Dr. Bangs, principal of a university and an author. The number of members reported in 1803 was 130, for the Home District. In 1804 the Home District was a distant circuit, with the Rev. Wm. Anson as incumbent. This year the returns gave 80 members for Yonge street and Smith's Creek. The minister 1805-6 was Rev. Daniel Pickett; 1807, Andrew Pringle for 1808, Robert Perry, a native Canadian; 1809, John Reynolds, afterwards the first Bishop of the Episcopal Methodist Church of Canada in 1855. Rev. Joseph Lockwood succeeded Mr. Reynolds. Rev. Joseph Gatchell was appointed to

Yonge street for 1812-13. During the war there was some irregularity; but the Rev. Henry Ryan, Presiding Elder, a brave hearted patriot, kept what an oversight he could, and furnished such supplies of preachers, as was possible. During the three years of war, John Rhodes, Ezra Adams, and Thomas Hannon preached from time to time. For 1815-16 John Rhodes; 1817, probably James Jackson. From 1817 to 1824 the Methodist body rapidly increased, and new meeting houses were opened. The first meeting house opened in York town was in 1818. From 1820 to 22 the Rev. Filch Reed was an acceptable preacher in the town. In 1823-24 York and Yonge street had John Ryerson and Wm. Slater. In 1827 the town became a separate charge with Rev. Wm. Ryerson as incumbent, who remained two years. In 1828 the Canadian Methodists separated from the United States Conference. At this period the membership in the County had increased to 984, of whom 132 were converted Indians. In the year 1855 the Canada Conference united with the British Conference, which union was consummated in the new brick church on Adelaide street. What now constitutes the County of York at that time must have numbered between 1200 and 1300 members, and employed what was equal to the labors of four ministers. In 1835 there was a reconstruction of the Meth. Episcopal church, by which the Wesleyans lost some members. They had their first conference at Cummer's meeting house on Yonge street. Their membership for Yonge street, amounted to 100. In 1847 Yonge street, Markham and Newmarket gave 287 members. At the present time there is probably in the County at least 1,000 members of the M. E. Church. In 1840 the Canadian Wesleyans separated from the British Conference; but were re-united in 1847. There were then five churches within Toronto and Yorkville. The membership in the County about 2,500, and not less than ten ministers. About 1829 the Primitive Methodists opened places of worship in the city and vicinity. In 1847 the New Connection Methodists entered the field in the city, and extended their work to Aurora. In 1874, the new connection united with the Wesleyans under the title of "The Methodist Church of Canada." This organization has now in the County of York not less than 50 church edifices, a great publishing house and printing office for the connection; about 25 ministers and preachers are employed in one way or another, and there are not less than 3,000 members.

The space at our disposal is exhausted, and only reference can be made to the various institutions belonging to Toronto. An account of the Law Society of Upper Canada from its inception in 1797 to the present time, and of the distinguished gentlemen who have given so high a character to the Bar and Bench of the Province; of the Universities which are a credit to the Dominion; of the several Colleges which afford ample means for imparting higher education; of the system of Education originated and perfected by the venerable and accomplished Dr. Ryerson, with the Normal, Model and Common Schools, supplying abundant facilities to all classes for obtaining an excellent English education; of the Medical Schools; of the many literary and scientific associations and Institutes, indicating high and vigorous intellectual life; of the charitable institutions, and the asylums for the afflicted in body and mind—as the Toronto General Hospital and the Provincial Lunatic Asylum—of the foundation and usefulness of all these we might speak at some length, and draw a contrast between the present and past—between the capital of 1878 and the capital of 1796, when Parliament first met here. But we trust enough has been said to beget a just feeling of pride and thankfulness among those in the decline of life; and of aspiration to faithfully, and energetically discharge the duties of citizenship among those who have a future before them, so that the coming generation may mark as great a degree of progress in our time as during the years of Our Fathers.

TOWNSHIP OF WEST GWILLIMBURY, IN THE COUNTY OF SIMCOE.

This Township was settled between the years, 1819 and 1824, by the Wallace, the Armstrong, the Algeo, the Armon, the Stodders, the Feris, the Sutherland and the Parker families, all of whom took up lots in the vicinity of the site of the present village of Bradford. In a few years afterwards there was a great influx of settlers prominent among whom was Squire Dewson, father of Mr. Thomas Dewson, the present manager of the Standard Bank in Bradford. He with many others settled in the neighborhood of what is now the village of Bond Head.

West Gwillimbury belonged to the Home district up to 1845, when it became by Act of Parliament a part of the county of Simcoe, and after the passing of the "Municipal Corporation Act" of 1849, elected its first council in 1850, when William Armon, Esq., became Reeve and held the position up to 1851, and Adam Goodfellow who was prominent in all public affairs, was appointed Clerk, from this date the township grew in value very rapidly partly owing to the introduction of the Northern Railroad, running through the eastern part of the township in 1853. In assessment it has always been valued much higher than any other municipality in the county, owing to the excellent quality of its land good roads and other permanent improvements. It is counted one of the best wheat growing townships north of Toronto. It has the village of Bradford on the south east corner and the village of Cookstown with the Hamilton and North Western Railroad, on the north west corner. After the separation of Bradford in 1858, Thomas Parker Esq., became Reeve, and Joseph Fennell Esq., the present Reeve, has since this date filled the office of either Dep. Reeve or Councillor. Mr. J. D. Booth, has held the office of clerk for nearly twenty years. Real estate sells high varying from \$40 to \$90 per acre, according to the improvements and quality of land. It is an old settlement, and the people generally are wealthy, many of the farmers having amassed large amounts of money and extensive property. It is separated from East Gwillimbury in North York, by the Holland river, Tecumseth lies on the west and Innisfil on the north of it. It contains 44,475 acres of resident land at an assessed value of \$1,268,481, and an equalized assessed value of personal property of \$60,653. It has only 1065 acres of non-resident land.

BRADFORD.

The village of Bradford was settled about the year 1831, and is situated at the south east corner of the County of Simcoe. It is divided from North York by the Holland River, which empties into Lake Simcoe, and lies in a northerly direction from the city of Toronto a distance of 36 miles. It is the largest grain market in the county of Simcoe, and has been noted in past years for shipping more grain than any market north of Toronto but owing to the construction of the Hamilton and North Western Railway in the Western section of the county, the grain traffic is considerably reduced, yet it is a market of great importance, being situated in a wheat growing section of country.

The Northern Railroad runs through it, and a large amount of merchandise is received at the station, for both village and rural stores. It was incorporated in 1858, the first council being composed of David Thompson, Alexander Murphy, Thomas Drifill, J. G. Wallis and Angus Gunn, Robert Stewart Esq., has been Clerk and Treasurer almost since its incorporation.

There are two large saw mills, a flour mill, a large planing manufactory, machine factory, a pail & broom factory and large grain stores in it. It is also well supplied with grammar, model and public schools and five churches. Population about 1500, assessed value, \$311,583.

READY REFERENCE TABLE,
CONTAINING THE
POST-OFFICES OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

FORMING A COMPLETE

LIST OF ALL CITIES, TOWNS, AND VILLAGES,
WITH THEIR LOCATION.

PRINCIPAL OFFICERS OF THE POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

HON. T. FOURNIER.....	<i>Postmaster General.</i>
WILLIAM HENRY GRIFFIN.....	<i>Deputy Postmaster General.</i>
WILLIAM WHITE.....	<i>Secretary.</i>
JOHN DEWE.....	<i>Chief Inspector.</i>

HORATIO ASPREY WICKSTEED.....	Accountant.
JOHN ASHWORTH.....	Cashier.
PETER LE SUEUR.....	Chief Superintendent Money-Order Branch.
J. CUNNINGHAM STEWART.....	Superintendent Savings Bank Branch.

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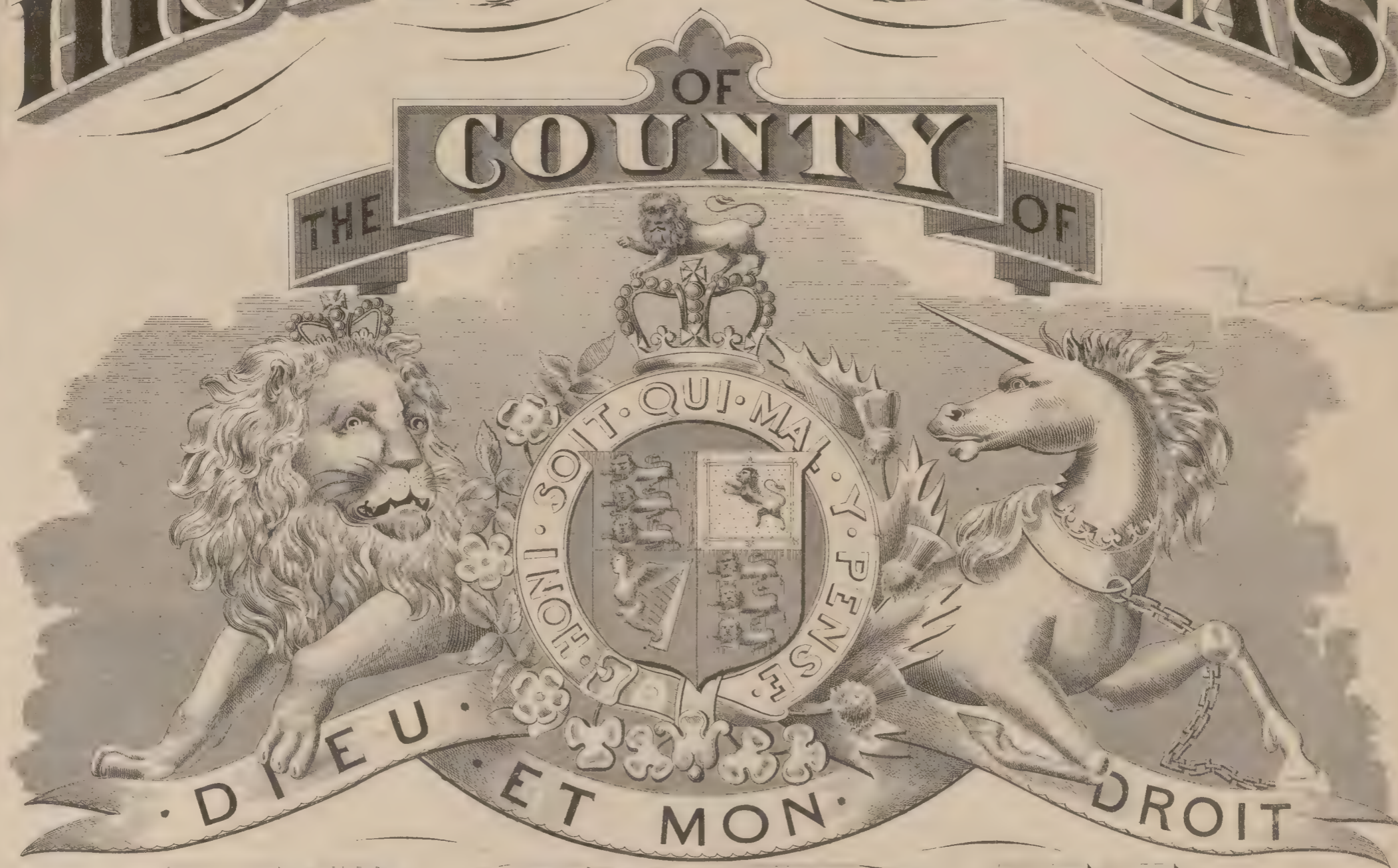
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PREFACE.

Encouraged by the success attending the publication of County Atlases in other portions of the Province, the undersigned have undertaken, in the publication of the Atlas of the County of York, to produce a work worthy of the Metropolitan County of Ontario.

In collecting material for these pages the publishers have spared neither labor nor expense to make the maps and information given as exact as it is possible for such matters to be.

The publishers refer with considerable gratification to the completion of the plans of the separate Townships, through which each lot and concession is brought under the eye of the reader, giving the name of the owner of each separate parcel of land, and all this through the personal visitation of surveyors and agents in each Township. These Township maps also show the churches, school houses and all manufactories of note generally.

The Railway and Postal Map of the whole Province of Ontario, showing counties, towns, villages, railway and telegraph stations, post offices, savings banks and money order offices, and distance between towns *via* mail routes (scale ten miles to one inch) is a special feature in the work.

The new map of the entire County—exhibiting every lot and concession numbered, with routes of railways, roads, stations and post-offices, is invaluable for its fulness and accuracy.

The plans of the chief towns of York—Toronto, Aurora, Holland Landing, Klineburg, King, Lloydtown, Markham, Newmarket, Roaches Point, Richmond Hill, Schomberg, Sutton, Stouffville, Thornhill, Unionville, Weston, Woodbridge, Yorkville—and Bradford, in the County of Simcoe—have been prepared with great care from the official registered plans, and will prove very useful for reference.

The maps of the whole Dominion and of the United States are better and handsomer maps of the kind than any ever before put in a County Atlas. The maps of Manitoba and the North-west territories, and British Columbia are from the latest surveys.

The historical description of the County by Wm. Canniff, M. D., M. R. C. S., Eng., is alone worth the price of the Atlas, as a record of matters connected with the first grants of land and settlement of the County, not to be found elsewhere in print and of increasing value as time goes on.

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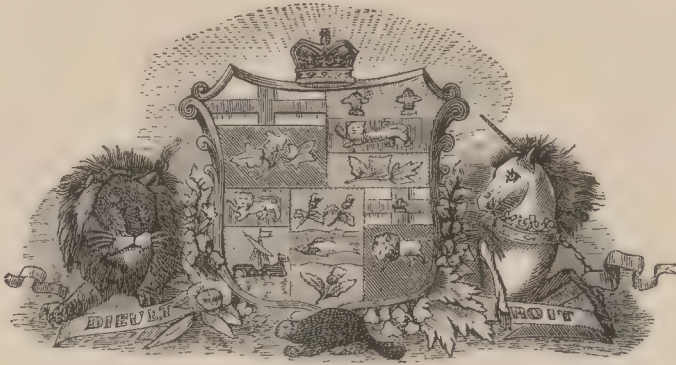
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THE GEOLOGICAL FEATURES OF THE COUNTY OF YORK.

Kindly furnished specially for this Atlas, by PROFESSOR E. J. CHAPMAN, Ph. D., Professor of Mineralogy and Geology, in Toronto University.

The rock formations occurring within the County of York comprise, in ascending order, representatives of the Trenton, Utica and Hudson River formations (of the Lower Silurian series), overlaid by glacial and post-glacial deposits.

The Trenton formation occupies only a small portion of the County in the extreme north-east. Its strata, consisting of dark grey limestones, are exposed in places, but nowhere prominently, on the shore of Lake Simcoe, in the townships of Georgina and North Gwillimbury. The succeeding Utica formation lies immediately west of the Trenton beds, but its dark bituminous shales (as recognized elsewhere) are entirely concealed by overlying sands and clays of the glacial and post-glacial series. These higher deposits are also spread very generally over the Hudson River formation, which succeeds the Utica division, and underlays the greater portion of the county. Its strata consist essentially of brown and greenish arenaceous shales, with here and there a bed of limestone. They outcrop on the shore of Lake Ontario immediately west of Toronto, and also on the Don and Humber—more especially between the mouth of the latter and the vicinity of Weston. They appear also on the mouth of the Mimico, and are exposed more or less in the streams and brooks of this south-western area of the County. The sandstones and sandy shales of the formation predominate in most places, and are available, if carefully selected, for flagging and building purposes. Limestone occurs at Weston, and also lower down the Humber, interstratified with the sandstones of this formation.

Apart from these few exposures of Silurian strata, the entire surface of the County is covered with a series of boulder-holding clays, sands and gravels, or by beds of fine sand, free or nearly free from boulders. These deposits are of variable depth, but in places they exceed one hundred feet in thickness. They are of Post-Cainozoic age. The lower boulder-holding clays are commonly known as the drift or glacial formation, proper. They belong to two series: The lower, or unstratified drift or "Till," examples of which may be seen at various places in Scarborough, York and other townships; and the upper or stratified drift—the "Erie Clay" of the Geological Survey. The higher beds of clay, sand and gravel, many of which are thickly filled with boulders, form the post-glacial deposits of geologists. Both the drift beds and these higher deposits are regarded as accumulations of detrital matter produced in part by huge glaciers, and partly by floating and stranded icebergs at the commencement of the present geological period, when the country was covered by extended sheets of ice or submerged beneath an ice-laden sea. The boulders contained in these clays and gravels, or heaped upon them, are mostly of gneissoid rock, and all have been derived from northern or essentially northern localities. Newer deposits of clay and sand rest upon these glacial and post-glacial accumulations, and contain in places numerous shells of existing species of *unio*, *planorbis*, *limnea* and other fresh-water mollusca now inhabiting our lakes and streams. As these occur at various levels they are assumed to indicate the former extension of our lakes into a vast body of water, the subsequent lowering of which produced a series of ridges or terraces running in a general east and west direction, or

roughly parallel with the present coast-line of Lake Ontario. As regards the County of York, the highest of these terraces, forming the so-called "Oak Ridge," passes through the more central portion of King and Whitchurch, at an average elevation of from 700 to 750 feet above Lake Ontario, or nearly 1,000 feet above the sea level. (In King, the maximum elevation equals 987 feet.) North of this ridge the ground descends towards Lake Simcoe (704 feet above the sea), and to the south several subordinate ridges or terraces mark the line of descent to Lake Ontario. On the "Davenport Ridge," north of Yorkville, &c., the average height above the Lake is from 220 to 260 feet, with a maximum elevation of about 300 feet.

The clays of these various deposits furnish, as a rule, good bricks. The lower clays are very generally calcareous, and these yield white or light-coloured bricks; whilst the upper clays are ferruginous, and thus burn red. Around most of the ponds and small lakes within the County, and in many low-lying or swampy tracts, deposits of "shell-marl" are of common occurrence. This is a white, earthy, calcareous substance, almost entirely made up of the minute shells of certain fresh water mollusks. It is often thought, but erroneously, to contain phosphates. It consists simply of carbonate of lime (with usually a small percentage of magnesium carbonate) intermixed more or less with sandy matter. The purer kinds have been used in the manufacture of putty, and for other purposes for which "whiting," or earthy limestone, is employed. Large deposits occur more especially in the township of King,

RAILWAYS RUNNING THROUGH THE COUNTY OF YORK.

The GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY, running through the County of York, has a length of Main Line within the County of 29½ miles. It was opened for traffic in 1856, and has in the County five stations, viz.:

Scarboro' Junction distant from Toronto nine miles. The Toronto and Nipissing Railway makes a junction at this station with the G. T. R., and by the addition of a third rail runs from thence over the line of the latter company to its terminus at Toronto.

Don, distant from Union Station 1½ miles.

Toronto City.—A new Union Passenger Station was erected here in 1872. The passenger trains of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway start from this station and run by the addition of a third rail over the line of the G. T. R. as far as Queen Street Junction, whence it branches off to its own line of rails. The Grand Trunk Railway has here the offices of the chief assistants of the different working departments of its system. The Company has here also a large freight shed, elevator and two engine houses—one capable of holding 23 engines, and the other 19.

Carlton Station: distant from Toronto, 5½ miles.

Weston; distant from Toronto, 8½ miles.

At the Don extensive pens are built for the feeding of cattle from the West en route to the seaboard, and the traffic of this railway entails the use of 10½ miles of sidings within the city, and even this large quantity is not sufficient for its growing business, but is being constantly added to year by year.

The traffic brought into the city by this railway is by far the greatest of any of the railways entering it, and having its terminus at Detroit, and connections with the West, it must continue to be a formidable rival to other lines, and this has been accomplished without any local aid from the city or municipality.

GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY OF CANADA.—The length of the Great Western Railway within the County of York is 10½ miles. Upon this portion of the line there are the following stations or stopping places for trains:

Mimico, Mimico Grove, close to Mimico Park, Humber, High Park, Northern Railway Crossing Queen's Wharf, Union Station Toronto, Yonge Street Station Toronto.

The aggregate length of sidings on this portion of the Railway is 3½ miles.

The only streams of any consequence in the County crossed by the Railway are the Mimico and Humber. The aggregate length of bridging across them is 452 feet.

About 1,600 passenger trains each way have been run annually for the past few years, carrying an average of 105,000 passengers to, and 98,000 passengers from Toronto.

The yearly average of freight trains for the same period has been 1,250 each way, carrying in round numbers 120,000 and 60,000 tons of freight to and from Toronto respectively.

The line was opened on the 3rd December, 1855.

TORONTO AND NIPISSING RAILWAY.—This road was opened for traffic in 1871. It runs through a fine agricultural and lumbering district to the east of Lake Simcoe and Georgian Bay. The road is a 3 ft. 6 in. gauge, and was the first narrow gauge open for traffic in America. It connects with the Grand Trunk Railway at Scarboro' Junction, and with the Midland Railway at Midland Junction. The main line is 88 miles long at present, but it is intended to extend the road from Cobocouk—the present terminus—to Lake Nipissing, a distance of over 150 miles, to connect with the Canada Pacific Railway. About 30 miles of the main line runs through the County of York, having the following stations: Toronto, Scarboro' Junction, Agincourt, Unionville, Markham and Stouffville. At Stouffville it connects with the Lake Simcoe Junction Railway, which runs from Stouffville to Jackson's Point, in the extreme north of the County.

THE NORTHERN RAILWAY OF CANADA runs almost through the centre of the County of York, passing through the Townships of York, Vaughan, King, and the westerly corners of Whitechurch and East Gwillimbury. The line is celebrated as being the first upon which any engine was run in Upper Canada, the first sod having been turned by the Earl of Elgin, on 15th Oct., 1851, and the first trip made in Sept., 1852. The road was not opened for traffic, throughout, until Jan. 1st, 1855. The mileage at this period was only 95 miles, whereas, at the present time it is 206½, with 49 miles of sidings, the chief extensions having been the North Grey branch, Collingwood to Meaford, 20½ miles; the Muskoka branch, Barrie to Gravenhurst, 50 miles; and the North Simcoe branch to Penetanguishene, 34 miles; the last mentioned being held on lease. The effect which the building of this, the pioneer road of Upper Canada, has had on the prosperity of the townships through which it passes cannot be over-estimated, and, as regards the future, there are three directions in which great results may confidently be expected from the Northern Railway of Canada. The first of these is the development of the Muskoka district. The Muskoka branch which was only opened in 1875 has proved wonderfully successful, and the area under settlement in this important district increases rapidly year by year. Moreover, if the construction of the Canada Pacific Railway should proceed, a company has already been formed to undertake an extension of the Northern Railway *via* Bracebridge, to effect a junction with that line somewhere in the neighbourhood of Lake Nipissing. The vast importance of such an undertaking to the City of Toronto and to the whole district served by the Northern Railway will be at once apparent. The second direction in which the Northern Railway possesses a much more than local importance, is the Lake Superior trade. The growth of Manitoba and the Western Settlements generally, has been very rapid of late years, and has been greatly helped by the establishment of a line of steamers plying on Lake Superior, in direct connection with the Northern Railway. There is every reason to suppose, that the flow of emigration will tend steadily towards Manitoba, in which case the importance of the Collingwood and Lake Superior line of steamers to the Province of Ontario, will be even greater than it is at present. The third direction in which it is probable that the Northern Railway will do much in the future, is as a connecting link on the great through route between Chicago and the eastern seaboard ports of the United States. The arrangements for direct communication are complete, *via* Collingwood, Toronto and Ogdensburg to all Eastern seaports, and the amount of grain and general freight carried is increasing largely.

In 1853, Colonel Cumberland became Managing Director of the Northern Railway, and under his management all the extensions mentioned above have been carried out. It is contemplated to change the gauge of this line to the standard one of 4 ft. 8½ in., and it cannot be doubted that a scheme so certain to prove beneficial to the City of Toronto, and to all the municipalities through which the line passes, will meet with warm support both from City and County Councils.

YORKVILLE LOOP LINE RAILWAY.—This Railway, now in course of construction, will run from a point on the G. T. R. at or near the Carlton Station to a point also on the G. T. R. in the Township of Scarborough passing through the Village of Yorkville.

The object of this line is:

- 1st. To provide a shorter route, which may be used by all the railways running into Toronto, for the passage of Through Freight, and thus obviate the necessity for the present overcrowding of the Esplanade.
- 2nd. To provide railway facilities for the Northern portion of the City and Yorkville by having a station at the latter place, and a system of short trains to connect with those in and out of the city by all lines.
- 3rd. To save the existing cost of working the traffic over the heavy grades between the points to be connected by this line, and the delays caused by the overcrowding of the Esplanade.

THE TORONTO, GREY AND BRUCE RAILWAY, which runs for twenty-five miles of its length through the County of York, is one of our local railways promoted and constructed under the auspices of several prominent Toronto merchants during the years 1867-71. It has a total mileage of 191 miles, viz., 122 miles from Toronto to Owen Sound, on the Georgian Bay, with a branch of 69 miles in length from Orangeville to Teeswater, in the County of Bruce. This railway is constructed on a gauge of 3 ft. 6 in., and met with considerable opposition in consequence of its exceptional gauge during the time it was under construction. It has received handsome bonuses in aid of its construction from the various municipalities through which it runs, as well as from the City of Toronto; but the Townships of York and Vaughan, through which it has a mileage of 11 miles in each Township, constitute, with the exception of the Township of Luther, in the County of Wellington, the only municipalities through which the Railway passes which have not taxed themselves in its aid. There are in the Township of York: A flag station at Carlton, five miles from Toronto, and a freight and passenger station at Weston, eight miles from the City. In the Township of Vaughan there are freight and passenger stations at Woodbridge and Kleinburg, respectively 16½ and 22 miles from Toronto; and a flag station at Humber Summit, 15 miles from Toronto, as also a siding near the flour mills of Messrs. J. & D. Elder, on the Humber between Woodbridge and Kleinburg. It is, we understand, in contemplation to change the gauge of this railway to the standard one of 4 ft. 8½ in. The traffic carried over the Railway from the County of York consists chiefly of flour from the mills along the Humber Valley in the neighbourhood of Kleinburg and Woodbridge, and agricultural implements from the works of Messrs. Abell, at Woodbridge, and Patterson, of Patterson.

The CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY will, when completed, be 175 miles in length. It begins at the city of Toronto, and has for its termini St. Thomas, Elora and Orangeville.

At St. Thomas close connection will be made with the Canada Southern Railway; at Fergus with the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, and at Orangeville with the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. The following are the principal places on its route: Main line.—Toronto, Lambton, Cooksville, Streetsville, Milton, Campbellville, Galt, Ayr, Drumbo, Innerkip, Woodstock, Beachville, Ingersoll, St. Thomas. Branch lines.—Churchville, Brampton, Cheltenham, Forks of the Credit Cataract, Erin, Hillsburg, Garafraxa, Fergus, Elora, Alton, Orangeville.

The line is being built with a view to develop and accommodate the extensive local business along its route, and to secure connections with the Canada Southern and Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railways, which will greatly benefit Toronto and the County of York.

It will particularly create a third great through line of railway from Toronto to Chicago and the West, and thus divert a large amount of business from the route to New York by the Erie Canal to the St. Lawrence. It is confidently expected that the line as far as Ingersoll, Elora and Orangeville will be open and ready for traffic by the close of 1879. The gauge is 4 ft. 8½ in.

The L. S. JUNCTION RAILWAY is 27 miles in length, and has the following stations: Stouffville, Ballantrae, Vivian, Mount Albert, Ravenshoe, Sutton and Jackson's Point. This branch has been open for traffic since November, 1877, and will be a great benefit to the northern part of the County. It forms, with the T. and N. Railway, a continuous line through the entire length of the eastern part of the County.

READY REFERENCE TABLE.

Oakland..... <i>Grant, S.R.</i> Ont. *Oakville..... <i>Haldon</i> , Ont. *Odessa..... <i>Lennox</i> , Ont. *Oil Springs..... <i>Cambden</i> , Ont. *Onondaga..... <i>Victoria, S.R.</i> Ont. *Onslow..... <i>Pontiac</i> , Que. *Orangeville..... <i>Wellington, C.R.</i> Ont.	Picton..... <i>Picton, N. S.</i> Pike River..... <i>Missisquoi</i> , Que. *Plafang..... <i>Prescott</i> , Ont. Point Edward..... <i>Lambton</i> , Ont. *Point St. Charles..... <i>Charles Currier</i> , Que. *Portage du Loup..... <i>Powher</i> , Que. *Port Burwell..... <i>Elgin, E.R.</i> Ont. Port Carling..... <i>Muskoka</i> , Ont. *Port Colbourne..... <i>Welland</i> , Ont. *Port Dalhousie..... <i>Lincoln</i> , Ont. *Port Dover..... <i>Norfolk, S.R.</i> Ont. *Port Hope..... <i>Prince, N.R.</i> Ont. Port Hastings..... <i>Inverness, N.S.</i> Port Hawkesbury..... <i>Inverness</i> , N.S.	*Richmond Hill..... <i>York, W.R.</i> Ont. Ridgetown..... <i>Bothwell</i> , Ont. *Rimouski..... <i>Rimouski</i> , Que. River John..... <i>Picton, N. S.</i> River Philip..... <i>Cumberland, N.S.</i> Iversville..... <i>Elgin, E.R.</i> Ont. Rivière du Loup (en bas)..... <i>Thémiscouata</i> , Que. Rivière du Loup (en haut)..... <i>Missisquoi</i> , Que. Robinson..... <i>Compton</i> , Que. Rockingham..... <i>Renfrew, S.R.</i> Ont. Rock Island..... <i>Stunsford</i> , Que. Rockwood..... <i>Wellington, S.R.</i> Ont. Rockville..... <i>Ithaca, S.R.</i> Ont. *Rondeau..... <i>Kend</i> , Ont. *Rosemont..... <i>Simcoe, S.R.</i> Ont. Roxton Falls..... <i>Shefford</i> , Ont. Russell..... <i>Russell</i> , Ont.	St. Martin's..... <i>St. John, N. B.</i> *St. Mary's..... <i>Perth, S.R.</i> Ont. *St. Paul's Bay..... <i>Charlevoix</i> , Que. *St. Peter's..... <i>Richmond, N.S.</i> *St. Polycarpe..... <i>Antigonish</i> , N.S. *St. Remi..... <i>Napierville</i> , Que. St. Roch de Québec..... <i>Quebec City</i> , Que. St. Sauveur de Québec..... <i>Quebec City</i> , Que. St. Scholastique..... <i>Two Mountains</i> , Que. 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Vanbrough..... <i>Renfrew, S.R.</i> Ont. *Vankleek Hill..... <i>Prescott</i> , Ont. *Vienna..... <i>Elgin, E.R.</i> Ont. *Village des Animateurs..... <i>L'Islet</i> , Que. *Vittoria..... <i>Norfolk, S.Z.</i> Ont.	Waldport..... <i>Monck</i> , Ont. *Wellesley..... <i>Waterloo, N.R.</i> Ont. Welland..... <i>Welland</i> , Ont. Wellington..... <i>Prince Edward</i> , Ont. *Wellington Square..... <i>Haldon</i> , Ont. Welsford..... <i>Queen's, N.S.</i> West Bay..... <i>Inverness, N.S.</i> *West Farnham..... <i>Missisquoi</i> , Que. West Flamborough..... <i>Wentworth</i> , N.R. Ont. *Weston..... <i>York, W.R.</i> Ont. Westport..... <i>Digby</i> , N.S. *West Winchester..... <i>Lundas</i> , Ont. Weymouth..... <i>Digby, N.S.</i> *Whitby..... <i>Ontario, S.R.</i> Ont. Whitevale..... <i>Ontario, S.R.</i> Ont. Whycomegh..... <i>Inverness</i> , N.S. Wiarion..... <i>Bruce, N.R.</i> Ont. Widder Station..... <i>Lambton</i> , Ont. Wilmet..... <i>Arundel</i> , Ont. 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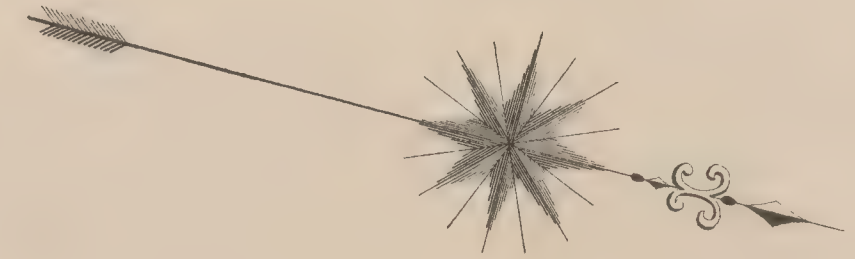
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Abderoy.....Bruce, N R, O
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Admiral Rodd.....Hants, S R, O
Adrian.....Antigonish, N S
Alder River.....Guysboro, N S
Alexander.....Inverness, N S
Alexandria.....Carleton, N S
Alliance.....Middlesex, W R, O
Almex.....Prince, P E I
Alstead.....Grey, S R, O
Althorpe.....Lanark, S R, O
Antigonish Har- / Antigonish
bour South side of Antigonish
Antigonish.....Argenteuil, Q
Arenville.....Hants, S R, O
Arenville.....Yarmouth, N S
Argyle.....Carleton, N B
Argyle.....Queens, P E I
Armada.....King, P E I
Armstrong's Mills.....Wellington, S R, O
Arnold.....Cape Breton, N S
Ashdale.....Antigonish, N S
Ashland.....Inverness, N S
Askin.....Muskoia, O
Aspy Bay.....Victoria, N S
Attelcliffe Station, Monck, O
Aubert Gallion.....Guysboro, N S
Auld Cove.....Guysboro, N S
Babington.....Queens, N B
Baddon.....Victoria, N R, O
Badjeros (Badjeros).....E R, O
Baie de la Fraite, Saguenay, Q
Bald Hill.....Queens, N B
Baldon.....Kent, O
Baldwin.....Kent, O
Baldwin.....Restigouche, N B
Banks.....Simcoe, S R, O
Banks.....Grey, N R, O
Barrietholme.....Albert, N B
Barrietholme.....Frontenac, N B
Barry Bay.....Kent, O
Bar Settlement.....Hants, N S
Barrett Mills, Charlotte, N B
Basin of River Inhabitants.....Richmond, N S
Battledore.....Kent, O
Bay View.....St John's, N B
Bayview.....Queens, N S
Beach Point.....Kings, P E I
Beaconsfield, Oxford, N R, O
Beach Hill.....Kings, N S
Beach Hill.....Kings, N S
Bear River.....King's, P E I
Beaton's Mills, Queen's, P E I
Beech Ridge.....Argenteuil, Q
Beechwood.....Kent, O
Beckwith.....Simcoe, S R, G
Begbors.....Muskoia, O
Bellenden.....Queens, N B
Belle Valley.....St John's, Q
Belmont.....Kent, O
Belmont.....York, B R, O
Bernier.....St John's, Q
Berry Mill Station, Westmorland, N B
Birchtown.....Shelburne, N B
Bisnam.....Lambton, O
Besson.....Beauce, Q
Blackburn.....Russell, O
Blacks Corners.....Wellington, S R, O
Black Rock, Gloucester, N B
Blair Athol, Restigouche, N B
Blake.....Huron, S R, O
Blind River.....Algoma, O
Black House, Lunenburg, N S
Blackfield Ridge, Carleton, N B
Bouchette.....Ottawa, Q
Boulardarie Back Lands, Cape Breton, N S
Bowdow.....Middlesex, W R, O
Bowdow.....Guysboro, N S
Boydne River.....Marquette, M
Bradshaw.....Bothwell, O
Breadalbane.....Glenarry, O
Briekley, Northumberland, E R, O
Bridford.....Glenarry, O
Bridgen.....Lambton, O
Bristol.....Carleton, N B
Brookfield Statn, Welland, O
Brownville, Grenville, S R, O
Bryans Mt., Antigonish, N S
Brule.....Colchester, N S
Buezer.....Renfrew, N R, O
Bunifra.....Carleton, N B
Bunnessau.....Grey, S R, O
Bunton.....Renfrew, N R, O
Burlingale Falls, Peterboro, E R, O
Burtonville.....Haltou, O
Caledonia Mines, C. Breton, N S
Canaan Station, Westmoreland, N B
Cape de Moselle, Ck. Albert, N B
Cape Ozo.....Caspe, Q
Cap Sante.....Portneuf, Q
Capitius.....Argenteuil, Q
Carleton Stat Northumb'ld, N B
Carlie.....Carleton, N B
Carmonock.....Huron, C. Breton, N S
Caron.....Russell, O
Chesler Station, Grey, B R, O
Carpenter.....Queens, N B
Carribo Marsh, C. Breton, N S
Carribo River.....Pictou, N S
Carsonville.....Cape Breton, N S
Carswell.....Renfrew, S R, O
Cashtown.....Simcoe, N R, O
Cent'l Clarence, Annapolis, N S
Cent'l New Annan, Colchester, N S
Chalk River.....Renfrew, N S, O
Chagmagin.....Yarmouth, N S
Cherry Grove.....Mid. E R, O
Cherry River, Sherbrooke, Q
Chester.....Carleton, N B
Chisholm Hill, Bruce, N R, O
Chiselhurst.....Huron, C. R, O
Chisholm.....Prince Edward, O
Christina Middlesex, W R, O
Christie's Corners, Grey, N R, O
Chladoboye.....Lisgar, M
Clarkson.....Peel, O
Clayburn Brook, Victoria, N S
Clyde Station, Queen's, N S
Clyde Stat, Kent, N B
Coal Creek.....Queen's, N B
Coleman.....York, E R, O
Cole's Corners.....Lambton, O
Comet.....Essex, O
Concordville.....Digby, S
Commanda Creek, Muskoia, O
Conboyville.....Brant, N R, O
Connor.....Cardwell, O
Cook Cove, Guysboro, N S
Cook's Bay, Westmorland, N B
Cooper's Falls.....Ont. N R, O
Corberry.....Digby, S
Cornell.....Oxford, S R, O
Cornwall Centre, Cornwall, O
Corydon.....York, B R, O
Corwin, Wellington, S R, O
Cote St Antoine, Hochelaga, Q
Cote St Michel, do. do.
Cote Visitation, do. do.
Coun. Line.....Essex, O
County Line, Queen's, P E I
Cox's Point, Queen's, P E I
Cranston.....Haldimand, O
Crest Town.....Simcoe, N R, O
Crossland.....Simcoe, N R, O
Crossland Hill, Simcoe, N R, O
Culoden.....Digby, N S
Cummings Cove, Charlotte, N B
Curries Crossing, Oxford, S R, O
Dale.....Durham, E R, O
Dalling.....Shefford, Q
Davy.....Drummond, Q
Danford Lake.....Pontiac, Q
D'Arcy.....Frontenac, N B
Dawson Creek, King, O
Dawson.....Russell, O
Deans.....Haldimand, O
Debert Stat., Colchester, N S
Debert Vill., Colchester, N S
Debert, Kent, O
Deer Park.....York, E R, O
Deroche.....Addington, O
Derrynave, Wellington, N R, O
Dixon.....Stormont, O
Dixons Point, Kent, O
Doctor's Bk. Antigonish, N S
Doe Lake.....Muskoia, O
Doherty.....Sunbury, N B
Don Mount.....York, E R, O
Dorcas, Kent, O
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Dufferin Bridge.....Muskoia, O
Dunbro.....Nussisquoi, Q
Dunchurch.....Muskoia, O
Dutton Stat., Elgin, N R, O
Dyvor.....Lisgar, M
Eamers Corners.....Ottawa, Q
East Baltic.....Kings, P E I
East Chesley, York, N R, O
East Dunsuir, Wolfe, Q
East Folly Mt., Colchester, N S
East Margerie, Inverness, N S
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Eden Grove.....Bruce, N R, O
Edmund, Victoria, N R, O
Elgin Road.....The Islet, Q
Elgin Road.....Albert, N B
Elia.....York, N R, O
Ellaton.....Norfolk, E R, O
Ellisville, Mid. Queen's, P E I
Ellisville.....Leeds, S R, O
Elmsdale.....Prince, P E I
Elmwood.....King's, N B
Emerson.....Muskoia, O
Emerson.....Renfrew, N R, O
Emstale.....Muskoia, O
Esdracelon.....Carleton, N B
Eskdale.....Bruce, N R, O
Eskholm.....Levis, Q
Etna.....King's, P E I
Etrick.....Middlesex, W R, O
Fairbank.....Kent, O
Fairmount.....Grey, E R, O
Farnworth, Ontario, N S
Farrville, Kent, O
Fesserton.....Simcoe, N R, O
Fetherston.....Muskoia, O
Fielding.....Middlesex, W R, O
Fingerling, Prince, E R, O
Flecker Station, Grey, B R, O
Fletcher.....Kent, O
Flodder.....Richmond, Q
Floralde.....Waterloo, N R, O
Florence Cove, Queens, N B
Folly Village, Colchester, N S
Fort Edmonton, N W Terriot.
Fort Francis.....Keewatin
Fowler's Cor's, Peterboro, N S
Fredrickton Stat, Queens, P E I
French Village.....Halifax, N S
Frontier.....Huntington, Q
Fuller.....Hastings, Q
Garrison Road, Welland, O
Gavelton.....Yarmouth, N S
Geneva.....Argenteuil, Q
Geraldine.....Huntington, Q
German Mills, W. R, O
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Gillies Hill.....Bruce, N R, O
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Glen Buell.....Brookville, O
Glen Colin.....Elgin, E R, O
Glenora.....Grey, S R, O
Glen Margaret, Halifax, N S
Glenora.....Cariboo, B C
Glen Robertson, Glenarry, O
Glenora, Grey, S R, O
Glen Willow, Middlesex, W R, O
Godbout.....Sagunaw, Q
Godfrey.....Addington, O
Golden Lidge, Carleton, N B
Golden Point, Kent, O
Gordon, Mills, Hastings, N R, O
Gordonville, Wellington, N R, O
Gore Bay.....Algoma, F
Grafton.....Carleton, N B
Grafton.....Kent, O
Grant.....North West Terriot.
Grant.....Westmoreland, N B
Grant.....Pictou, N S
Graphite City.....Ottawa, Q
Grass Hill, Victoria, N B
Green Valley.....Muskoia, O
Green Valley.....Glenarry, O
Greenwood.....King's, N S
Greenwood, Ontario, S R, O
Grey Head, Middlesex, W R, O
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Grimey Canal, Lincoln, O
Grindstone Island, Gaspe, Q
Guignes.....Ottawa, Q
Guilts.....Kent, O
Guizot.....Meganitic, Q
Guthrie.....Simcoe, N R, S
Hadlow Cove.....Levis, Q
Hainsville.....Digby, N S
Hainley Stat., Renfrew, N R, O
Halfway Cove, Guysboro, N S
Hallowell Grant, Antigonish, N S
Hall's Glen, Peterboro, E R, O
Hampshire Mills, Kent, O
Hartwood Hill, Richmond, Q
Harkaway.....Grey, O
Harley Road.....Queens, N B
Harlowe.....Addington, O
Harmony Mills, Kent, O
Hartford, Cumberland, N S
Hartwell.....Ottawa, Q
Hartwell Centre.....Kent, O
Hawley.....Lennox, O
Hay Bay.....Lennox, O
Hayes Falls.....Essex, O
Head of Jeddore, Halifax, N S
Heather.....Lambton, O
Hemlock.....Norfolk, S R, O
Henderson.....Essex, Q
Henderson, Kent, O
Hendrick, Middlesex, W R, O
Hensall.....Huron, S R, O
Hermion.....Hastings, N R, O
Herring Cove.....Halifax, N S
Highland Village, Colchester, N S
Highlands.....Carleton, N S
Higinbotham, Wellington, N R
Hilly Grove.....Algoma, O
Hudson.....Pictou, N S
Holly.....Simcoe, S R, O
Holly Park.....York, N R, O
Hope Bay.....Bruce, N R, O
Hopner.....Albert, N B
Horse Shoe Bridge, Peterboro, E R, O
Houses's Rapids, Muskoia, O
Hoyt Station.....Sunbury, N B
Hunter's River, Queens, P E I
Hwacomb.....Muskoia, O
Indian Mountain, Westmoreland, N B
Internati'l Bridge, Welland, O
Invernaugh, Welling, E R, O
Inwood.....Lambton, O
Iona Stat.....Elgin, W R, O
Irena.....Dundas, O
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James River, Antigonish, N S
Jamestown.....Huron, C R, O
Jeffrey.....Kings, N B
Job Station.....Beauce, Q
Jack Vale.....Carleton, O
Jones Falls.....Leeds, S R, O
Jordan Station.....Lincoln, O
Juddhavan.....Muskoia, O
Kazawong.....Algoma, O
Katrine.....Muskoia, O
Kelly's Cove, Yarmouth, N S
Kemp Shore.....Hants, N S
Kenavay.....Peterborough, Q
Kerrowgare.....Pictou, N S
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Kingside Siding, Richmond, Q
Kingsford (re-opened), Hastings, E R, O
Kingsport.....Kent, O
Kinnatrd.....Lambton, O
Kintore.....Victoria, N B
Klock's Mills, Dist. of Nip'g, O
Kohler.....Haldimand, O
Lac La Hache, Carribo B C
Ladners Landing, West Minis-
ter, B C
La Fayette.....Belchase, B C
Lafayette.....Peterboro, E R, O
Lake Park.....King's, N B
Lake Tallowan, Dist. of Nip'g, O
Lamash.....Grey, S R, O
Lamon.....Middlesex, S R, O
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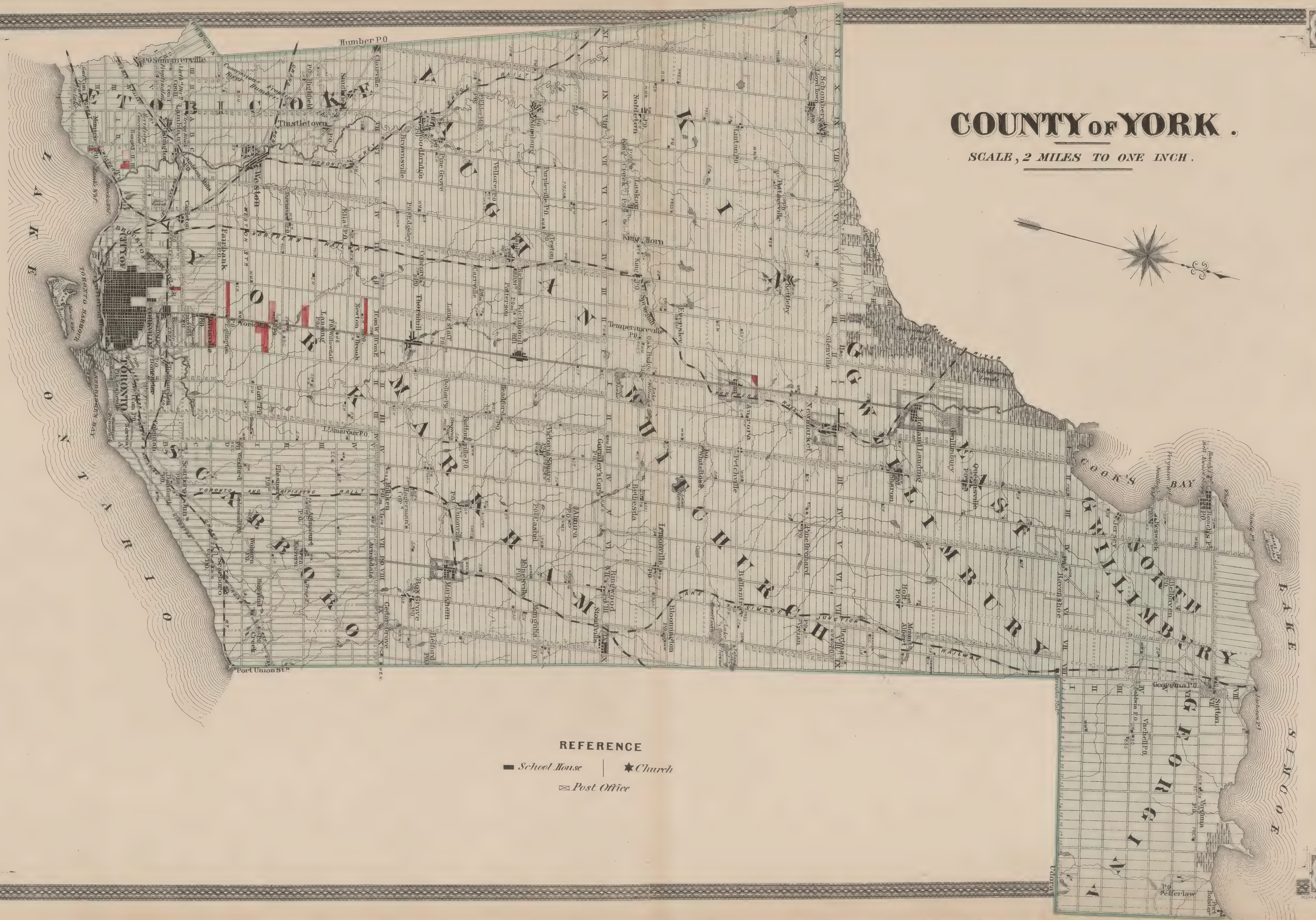
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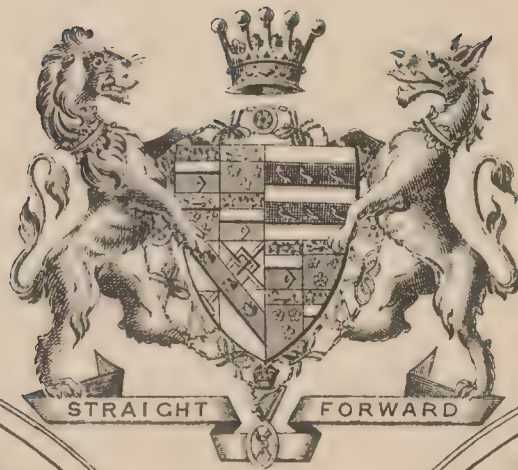
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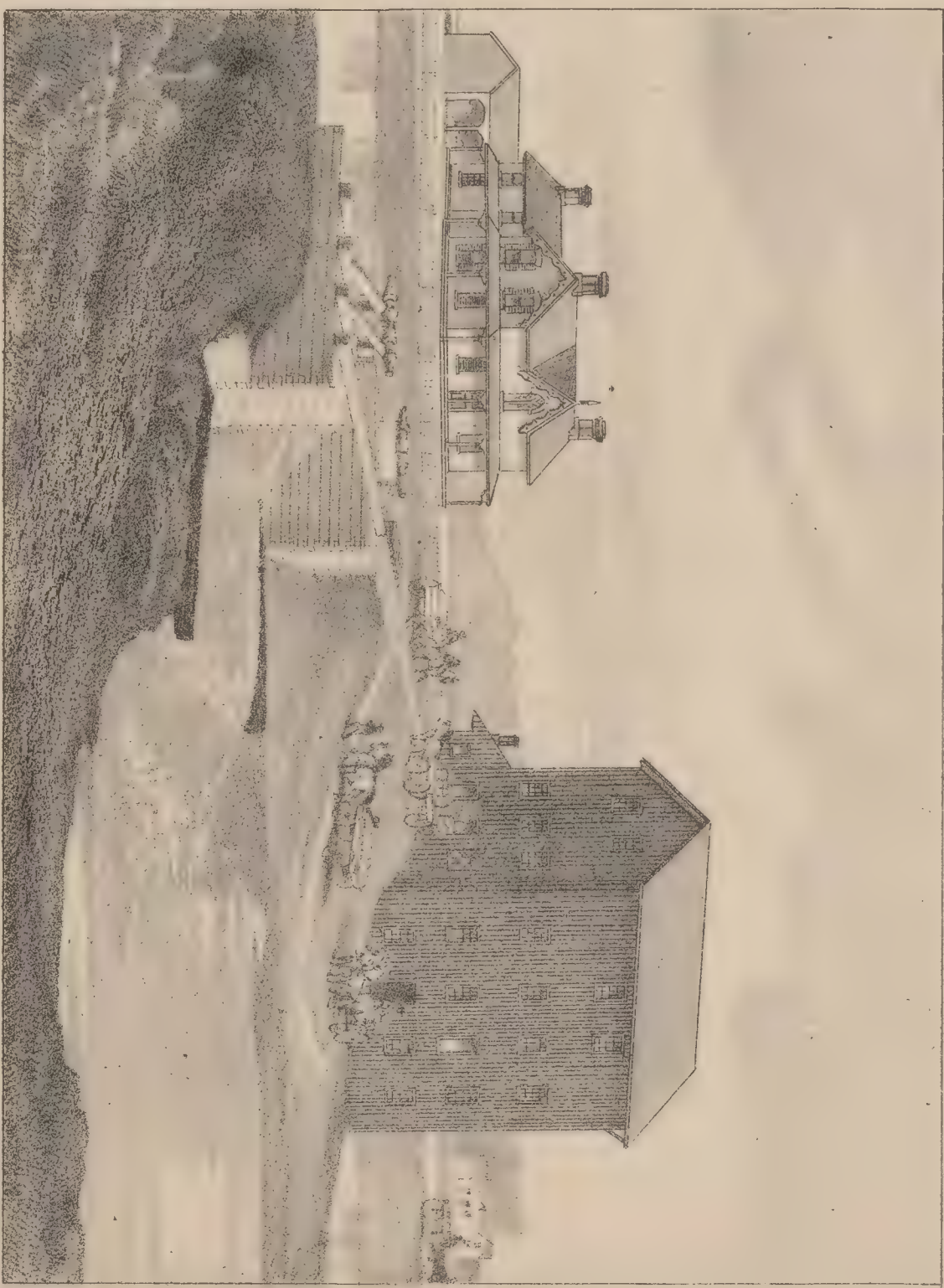




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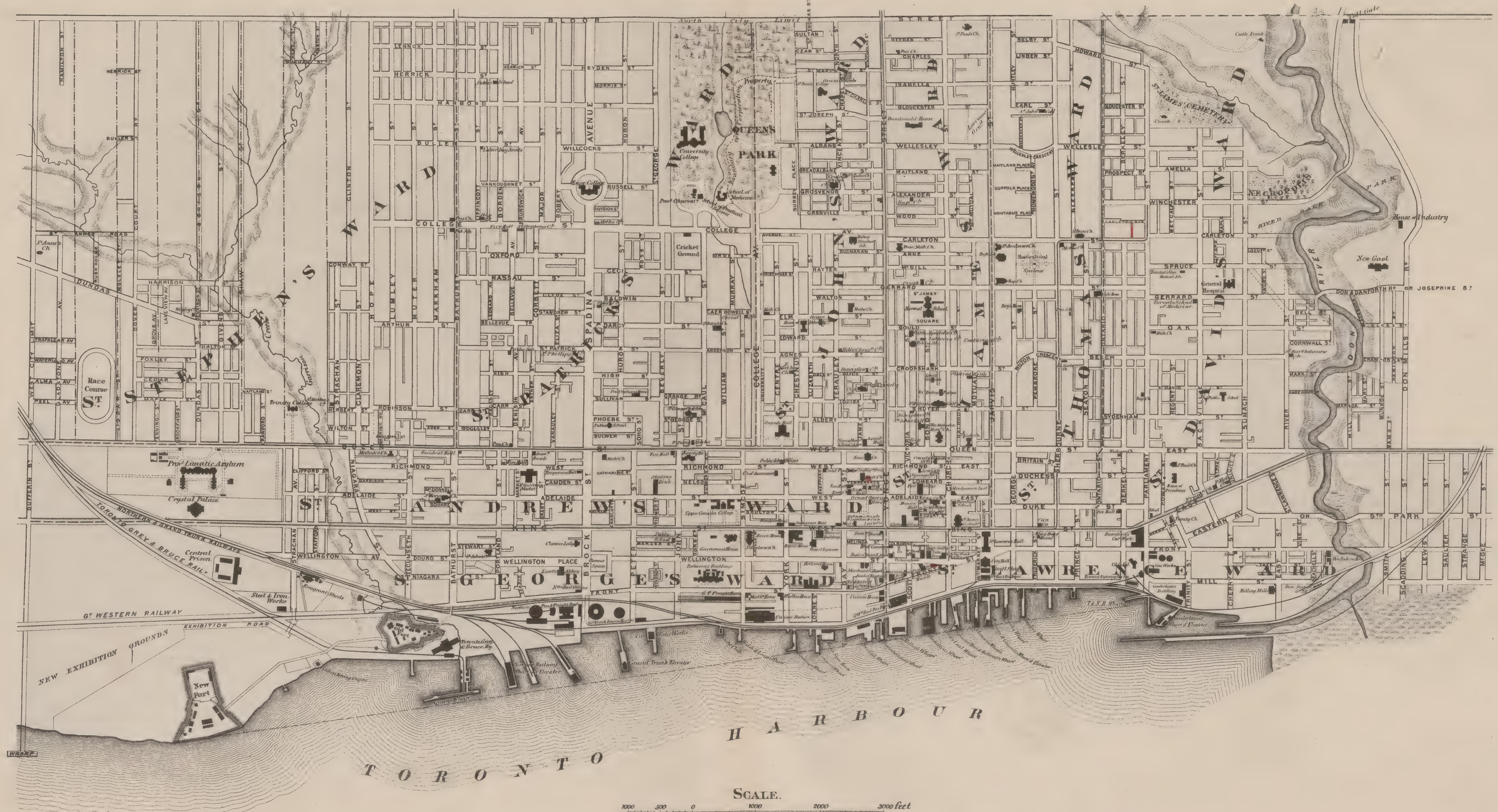
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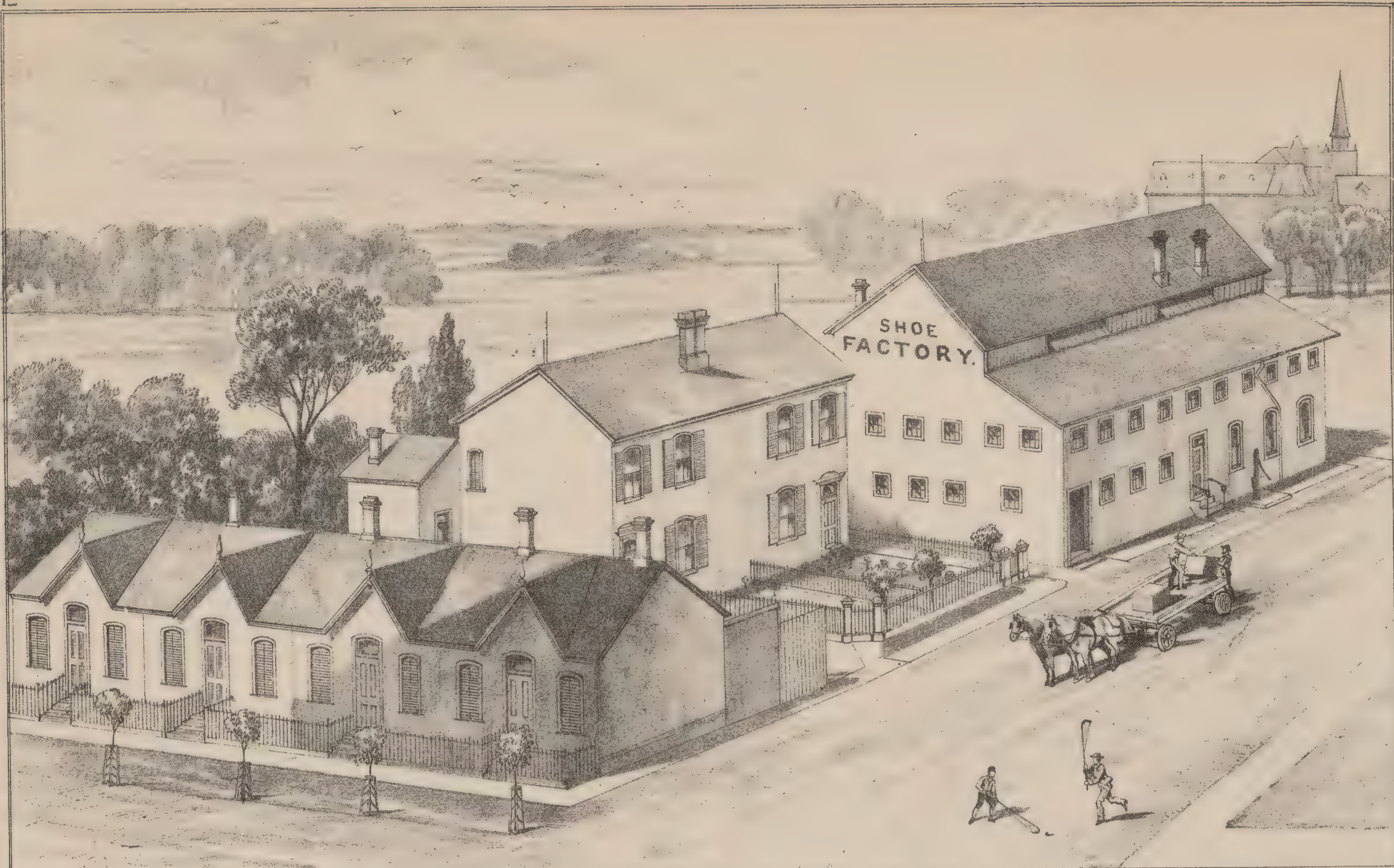
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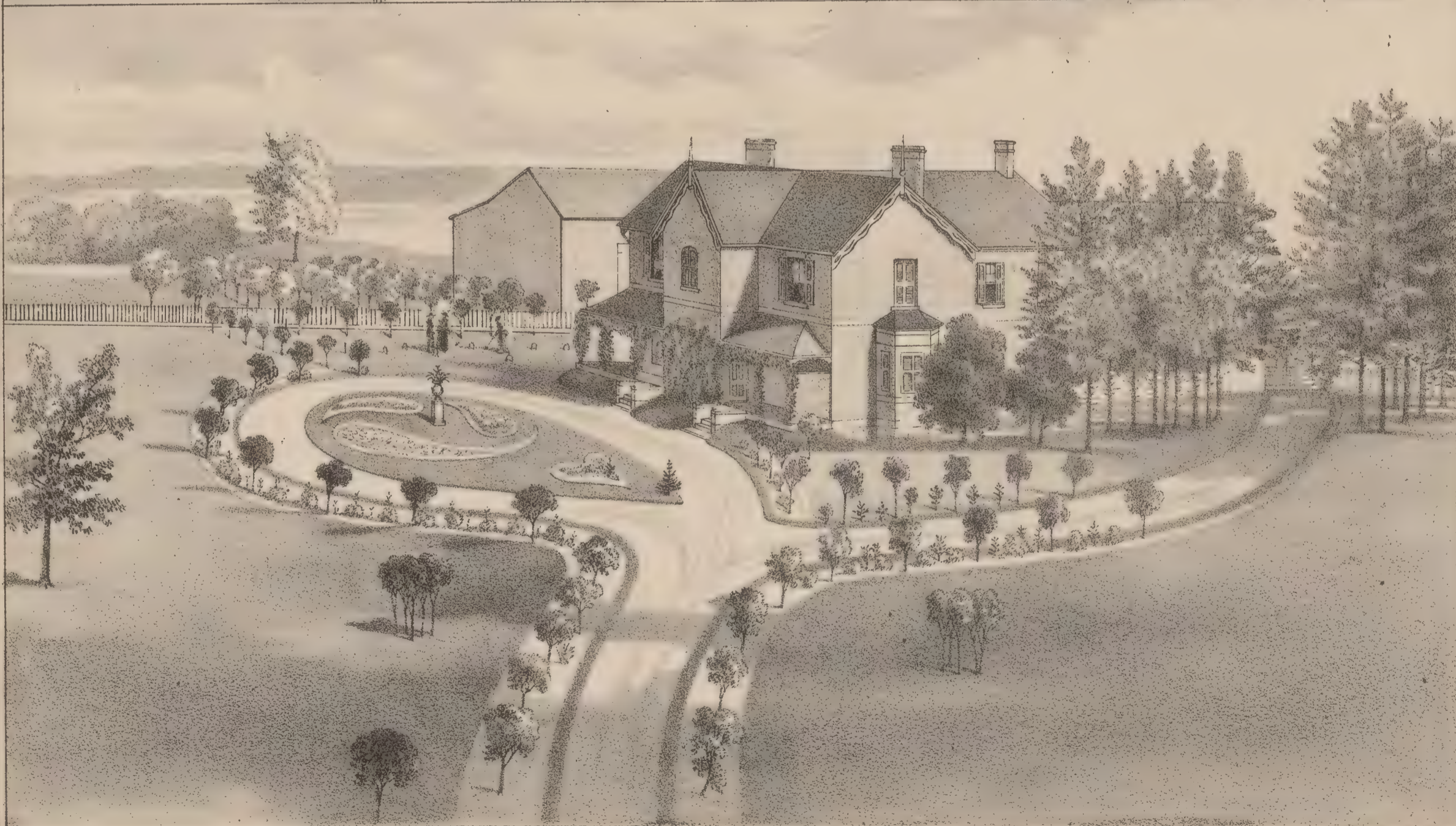




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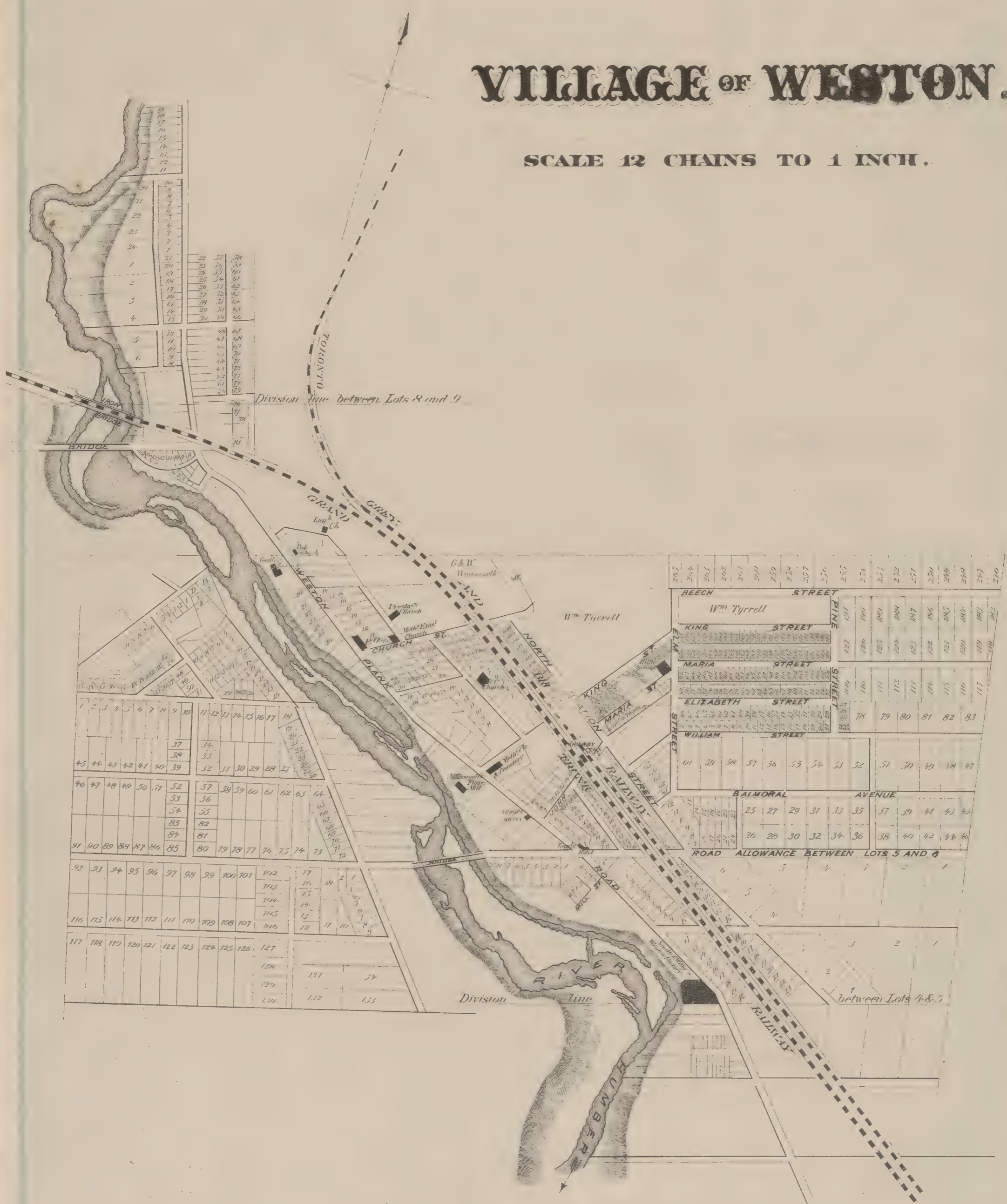
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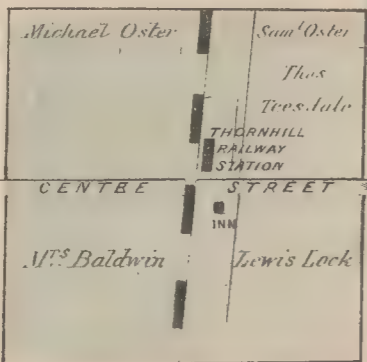


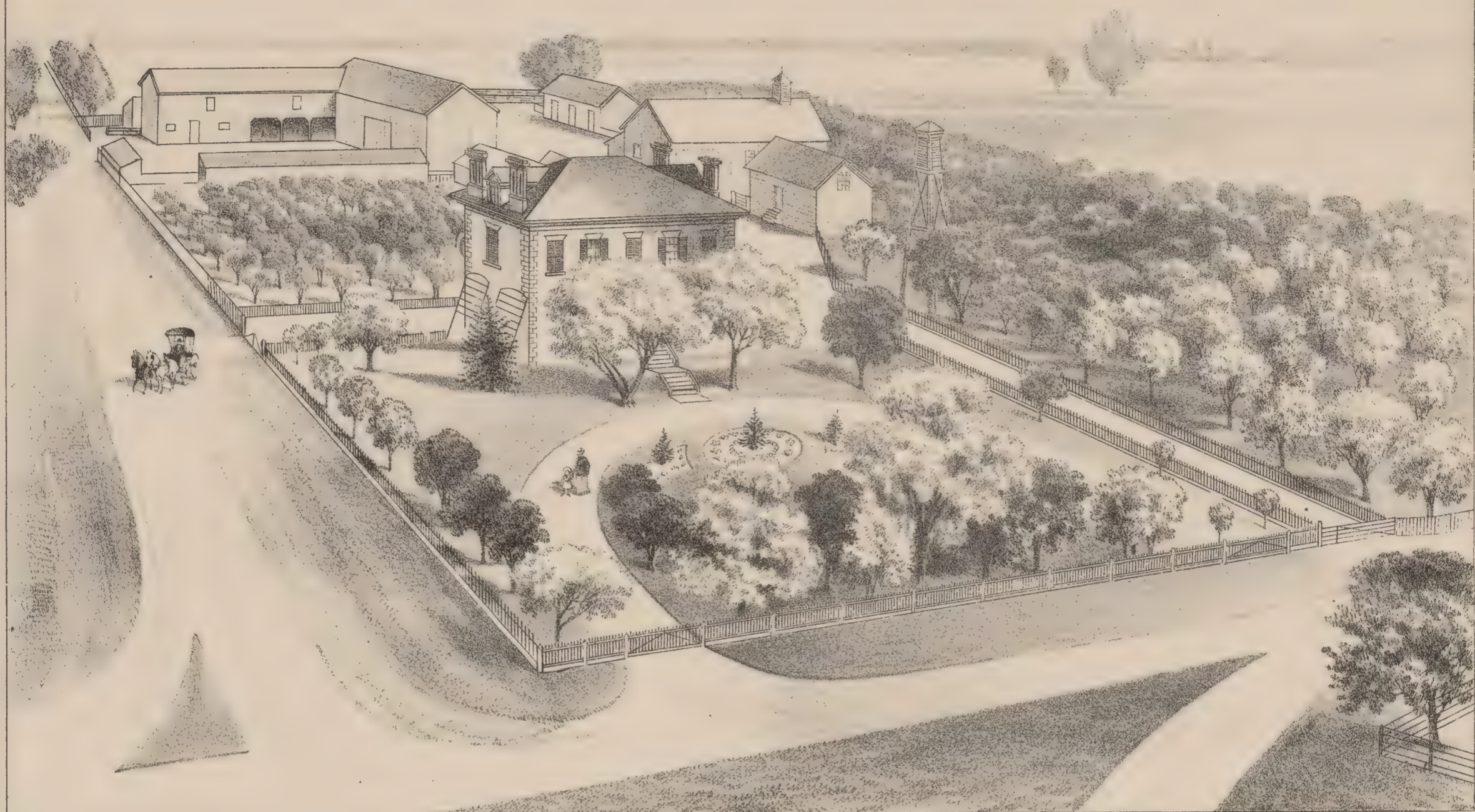
VILLAGE OF THORNHILL

Scale - 8 Chains to 1 Inch



THORNHILL RAILWAY STATION.
Scale - 30 Chains to 1 Inch.





RESIDENCE OF SAM^L WOOD ESQ^E ISLINGTON.



VIEW FROM VERANDAH, TORONTO IN THE DISTANCE.

THE BOSTON HOUSE. PRIVATE HOTEL, FRANK BOSTON, Proprietor. NORWAY, P.O.

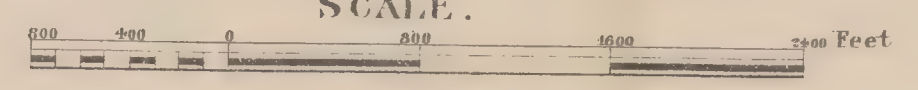
MAP OF
YORKVILLE
AND ITS VICINITY.

By Alfred T. Cotterell C.E. Toronto.

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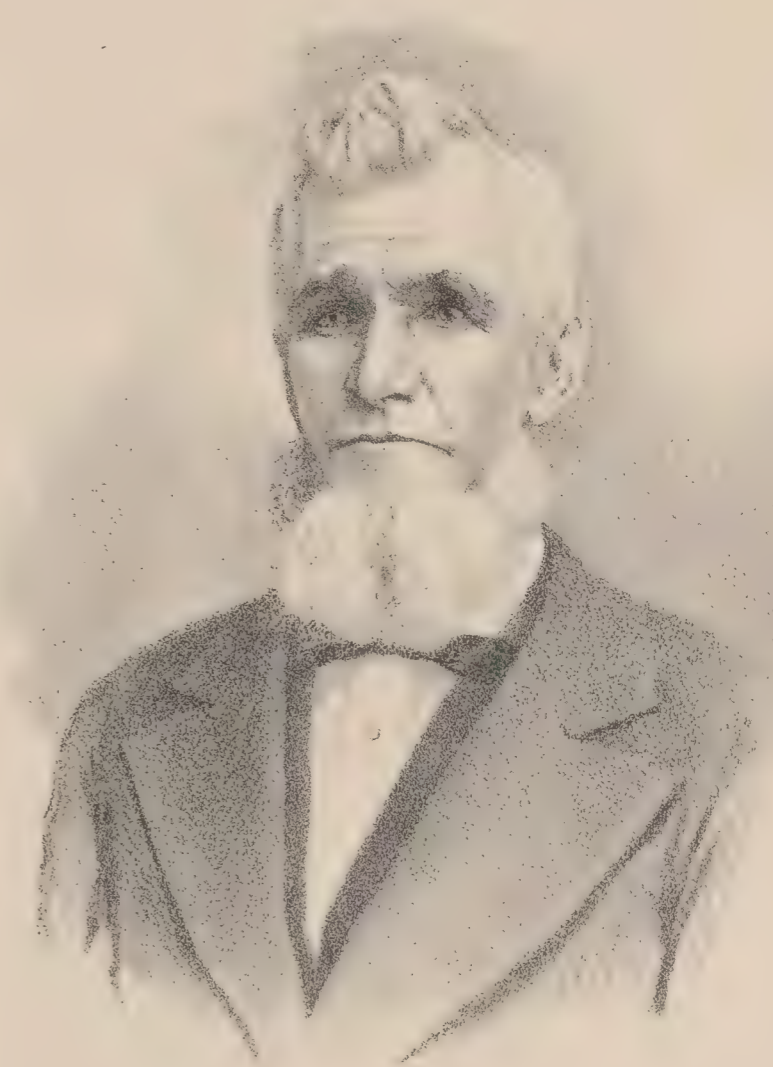
Number of Registered Plans	69
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Yorkville Village Limit	—

SCALE.





DR LANGSTAFF'S RESIDENCE, HOLMWOD, RICHMOND HILL.



Geo. Hughes J.P.



RESIDENCE OF DR WESLEY ROBINSON, MARKHAM, ONT.

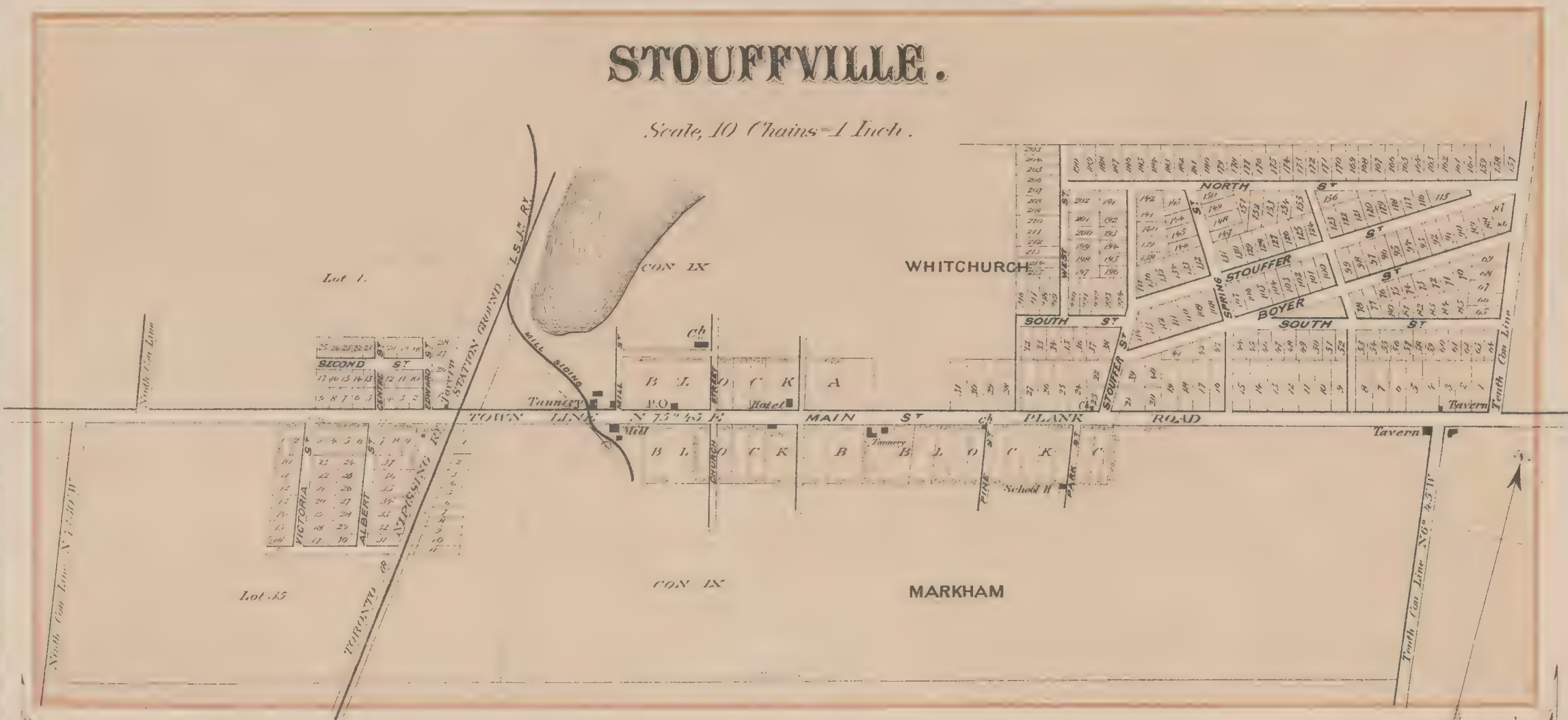
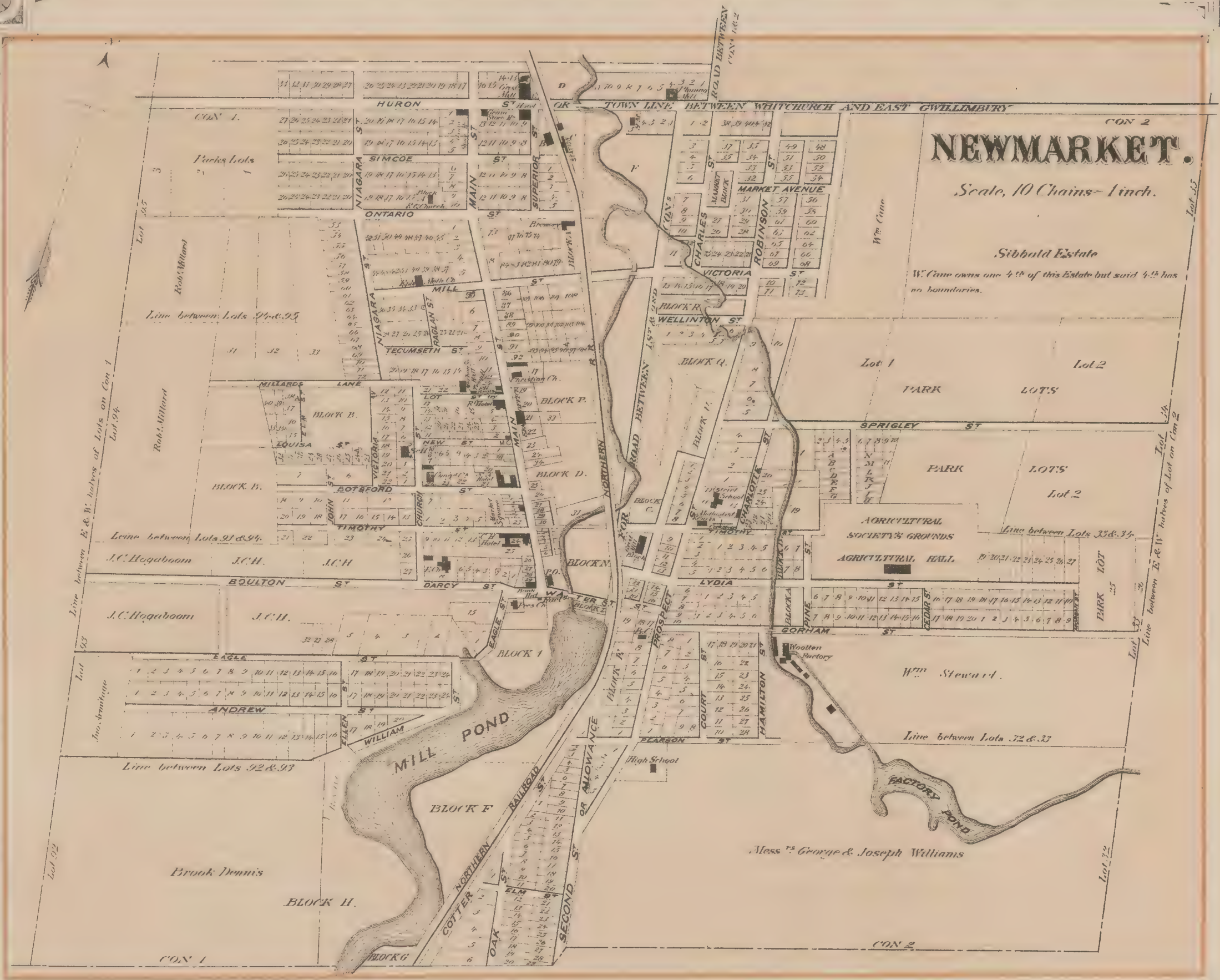
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- ⊗ Saw Mill
- Cheese Factory
- ▨ Orchard
- ★ Church
- School House
- ✉ Post Office
- Same Owner

VAUGHAN

SCALE 60 CHAINS TO ONE INCH.



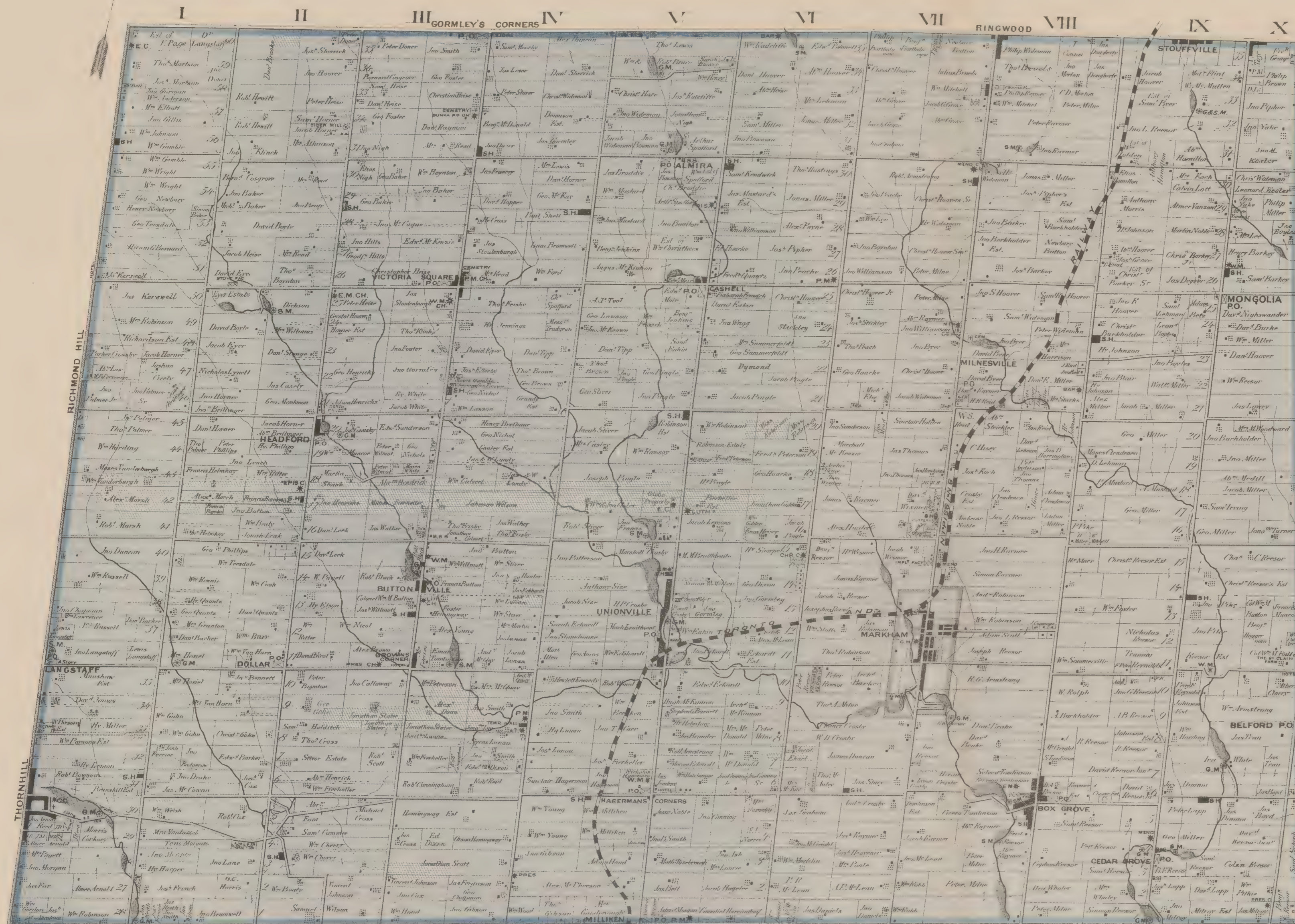


MARKHAM.

SCALE, 60 CHAINS TO 1 INCH.

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VILLAGE OF UNIONVILLE,

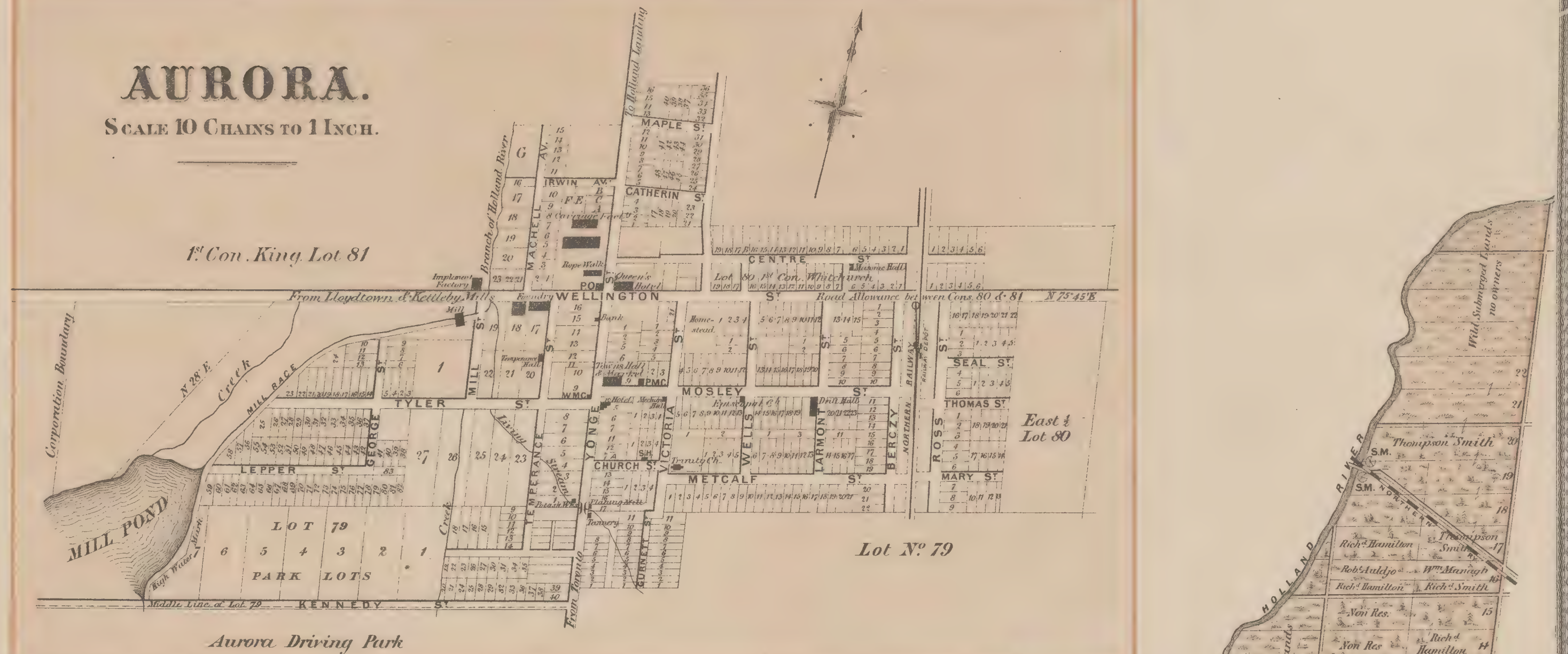
IN THE TOWNSHIP OF MARKHAM.

SCALE 15 CHAINS INCH.



AURORA.

SCALE 10 CHAINS TO 1 INCH.



NORTH KING

WITH NEW SURVEY

SCALE 60 CHAINS TO 1 INCH





THE ST. CLAIRE FARM. RESIDENCE OF COL. W. M. BUTTON. LOT 11, CON. 10, MARKHAM, T^P



STORE & RESIDENCE OF JOHN TINGLE. LOT 35, CON. D. SCARBORO T^P WEXFORD, P. O.

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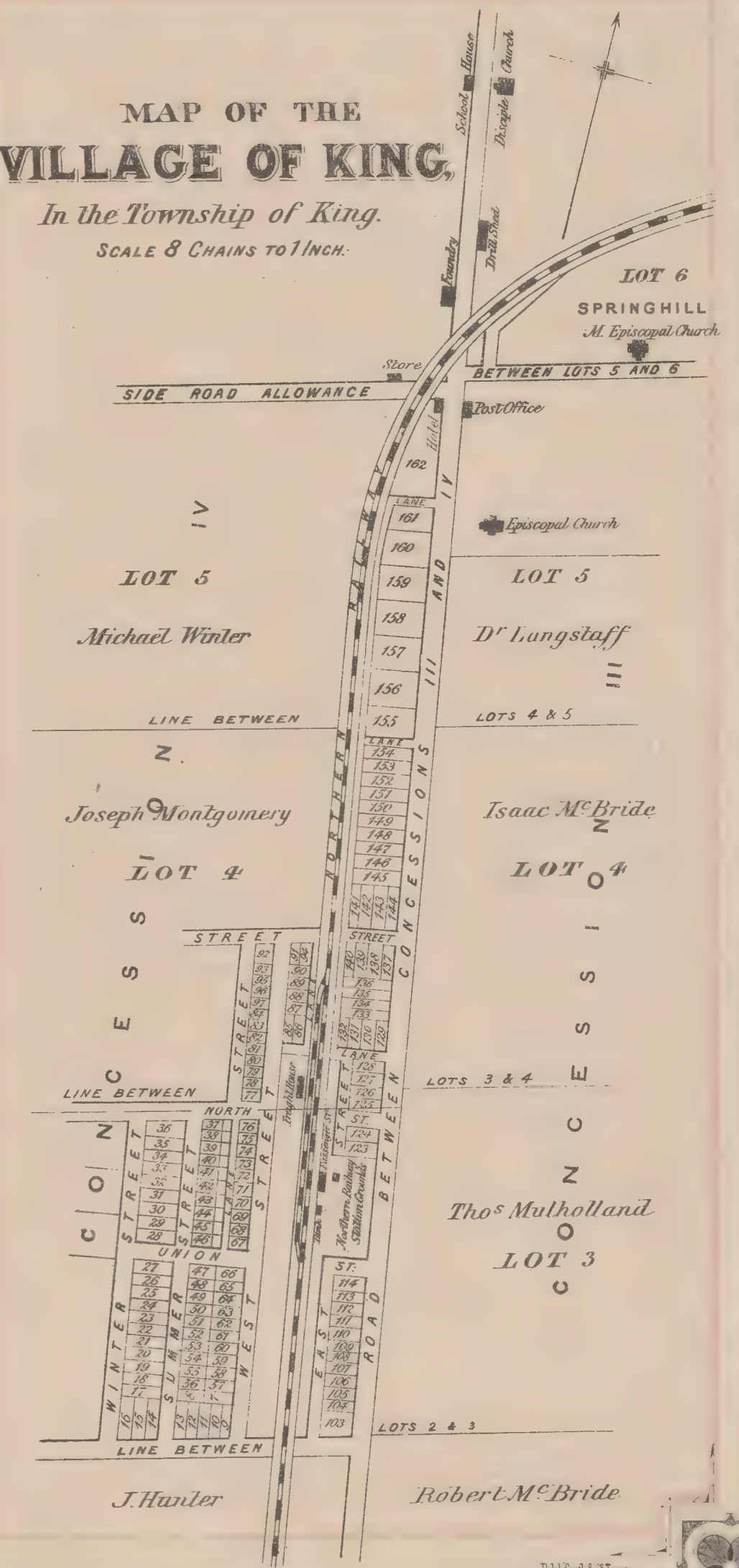
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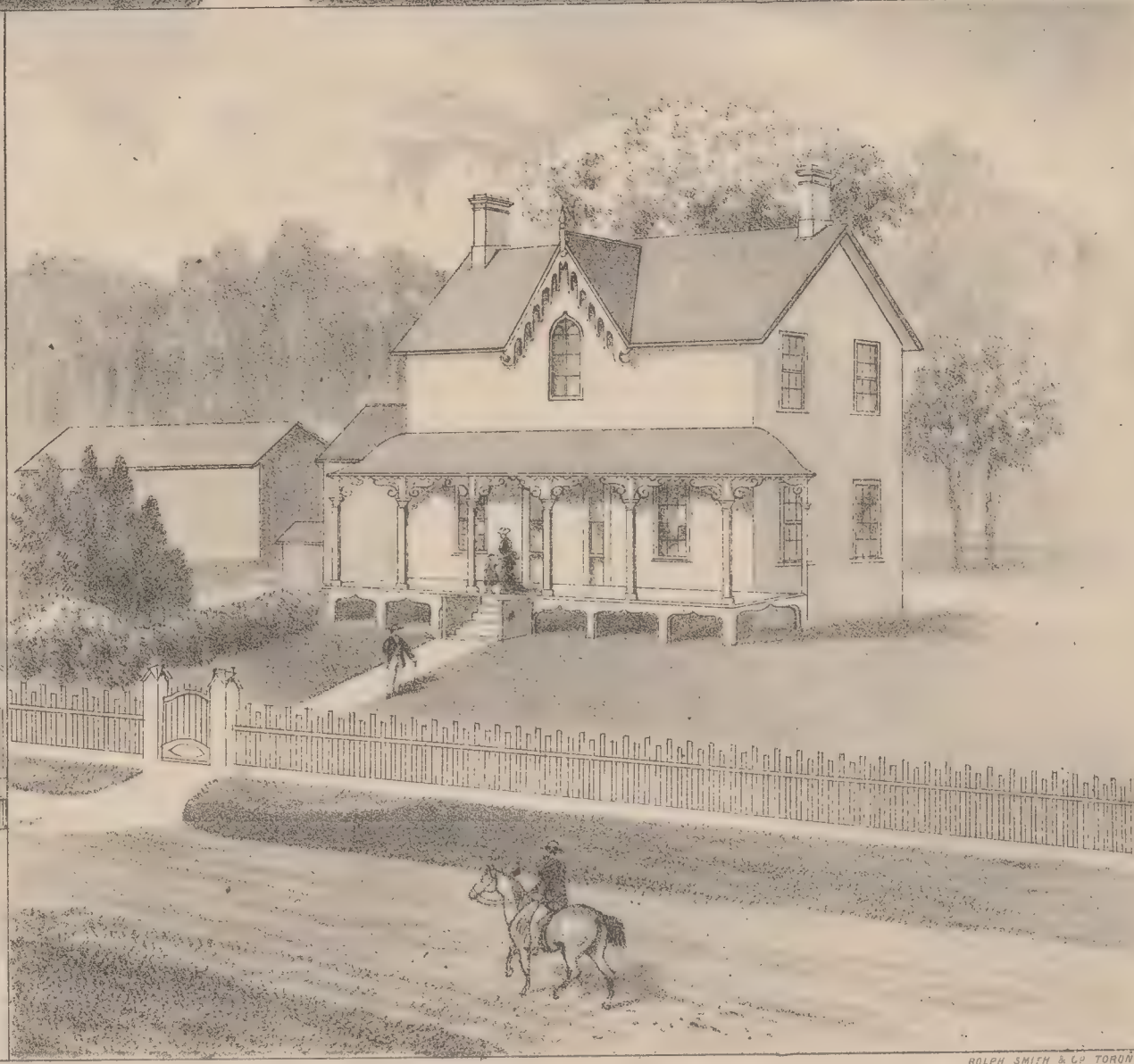
SOUTH PART OF KING TOWNSHIP

SCALE, 60 CHAINS TO 1 INCH.



MAP OF THE VILLAGE OF KING, In the Township of King. SCALE 8 CHAINS TO 1 INCH.





MILLS.-& RESIDENCE, OF A.W. MILNE.

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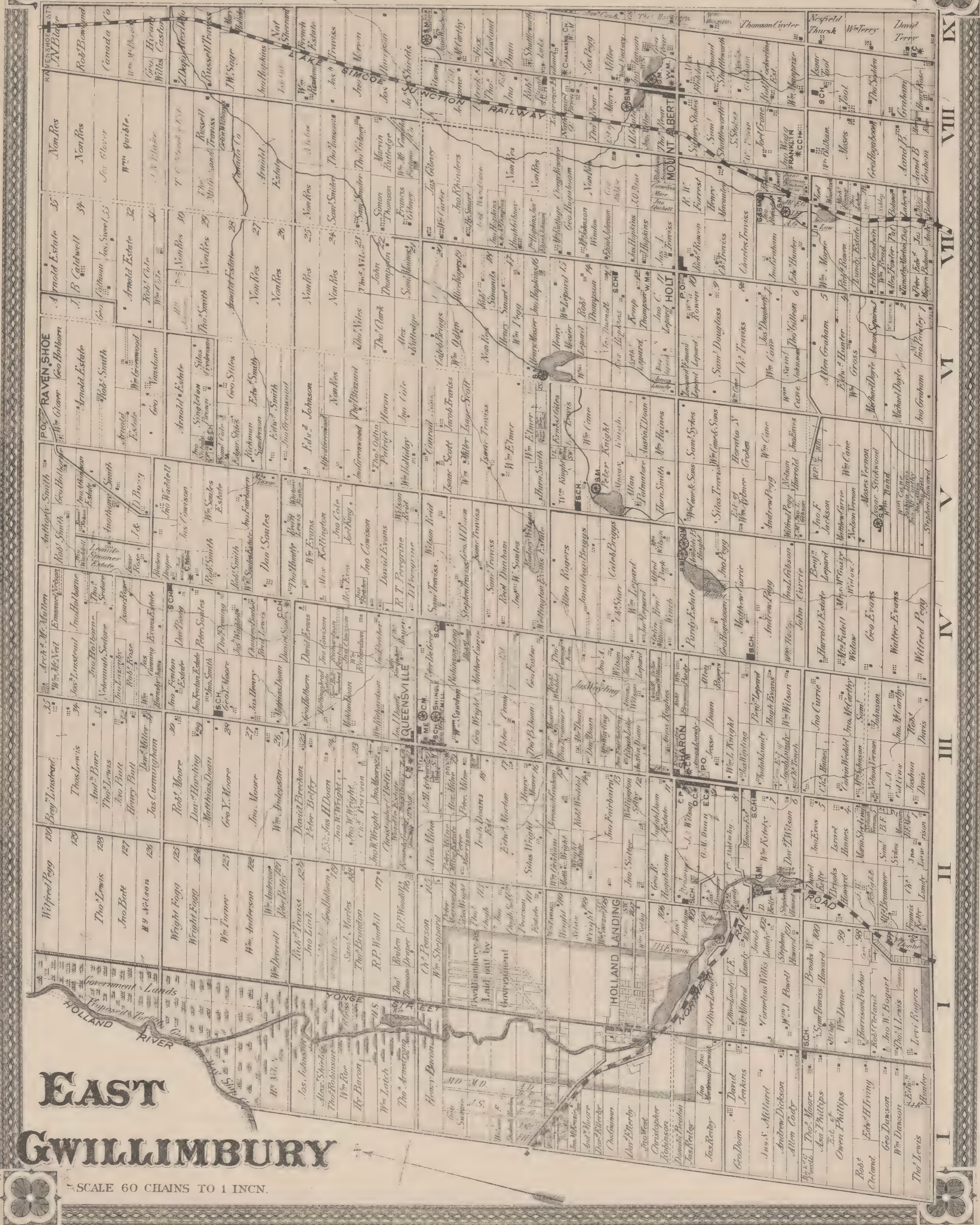
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HOLLAND LANDING.

Scale 12 Chains to 1 inch.



NORTH GUILMBURY

SCALE, 60 CHAINS TO 1 INCH.



GEORGINA

SCALE, 60 CHAINS TO 1 INCH.



IN THE

TOWNSHIP OF GEORGINA.

SCALE, 8 CHAINS TO 1 INCH.

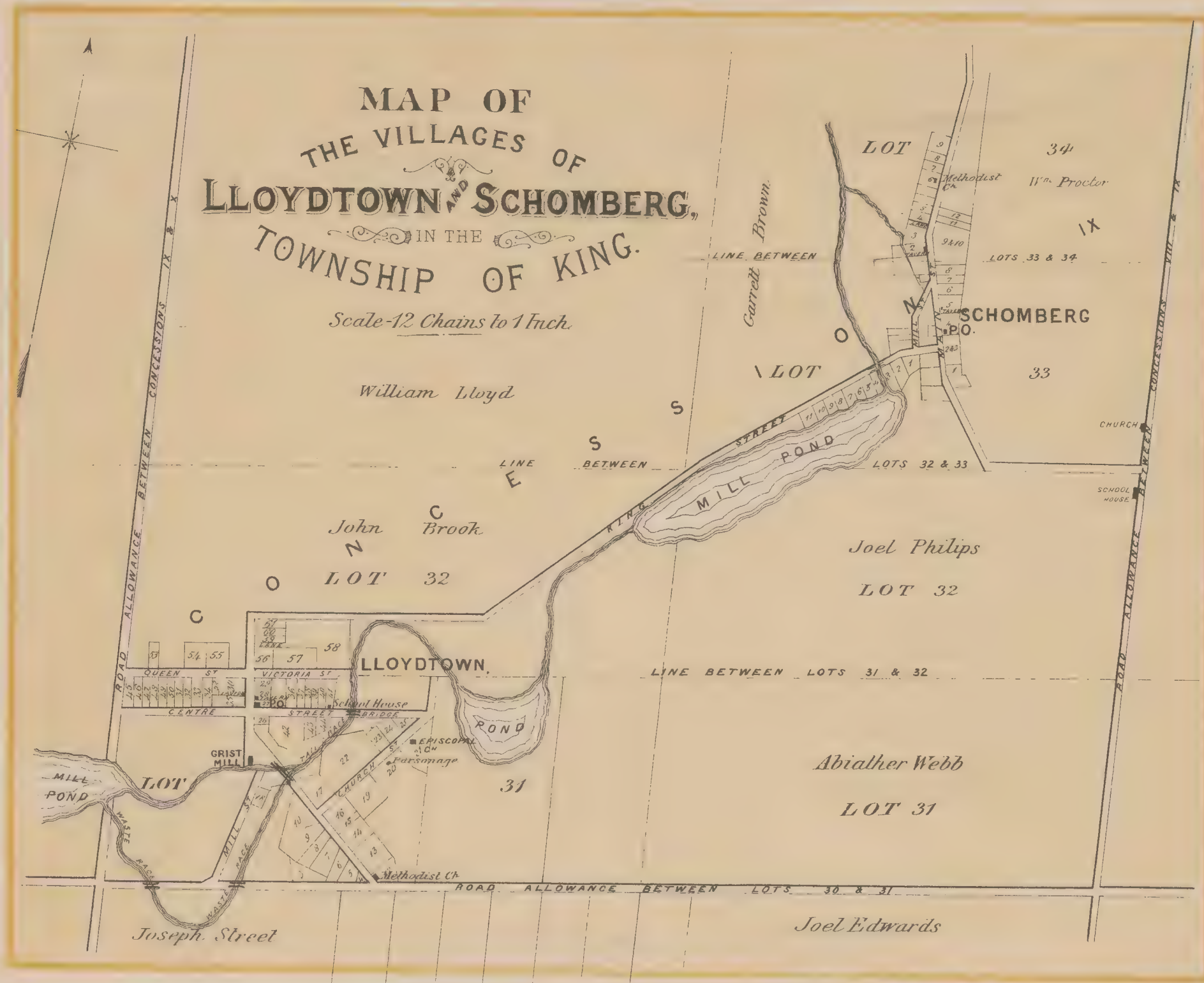


IN THE

TOWNSHIP OF
NORTH GWILLIMBURY

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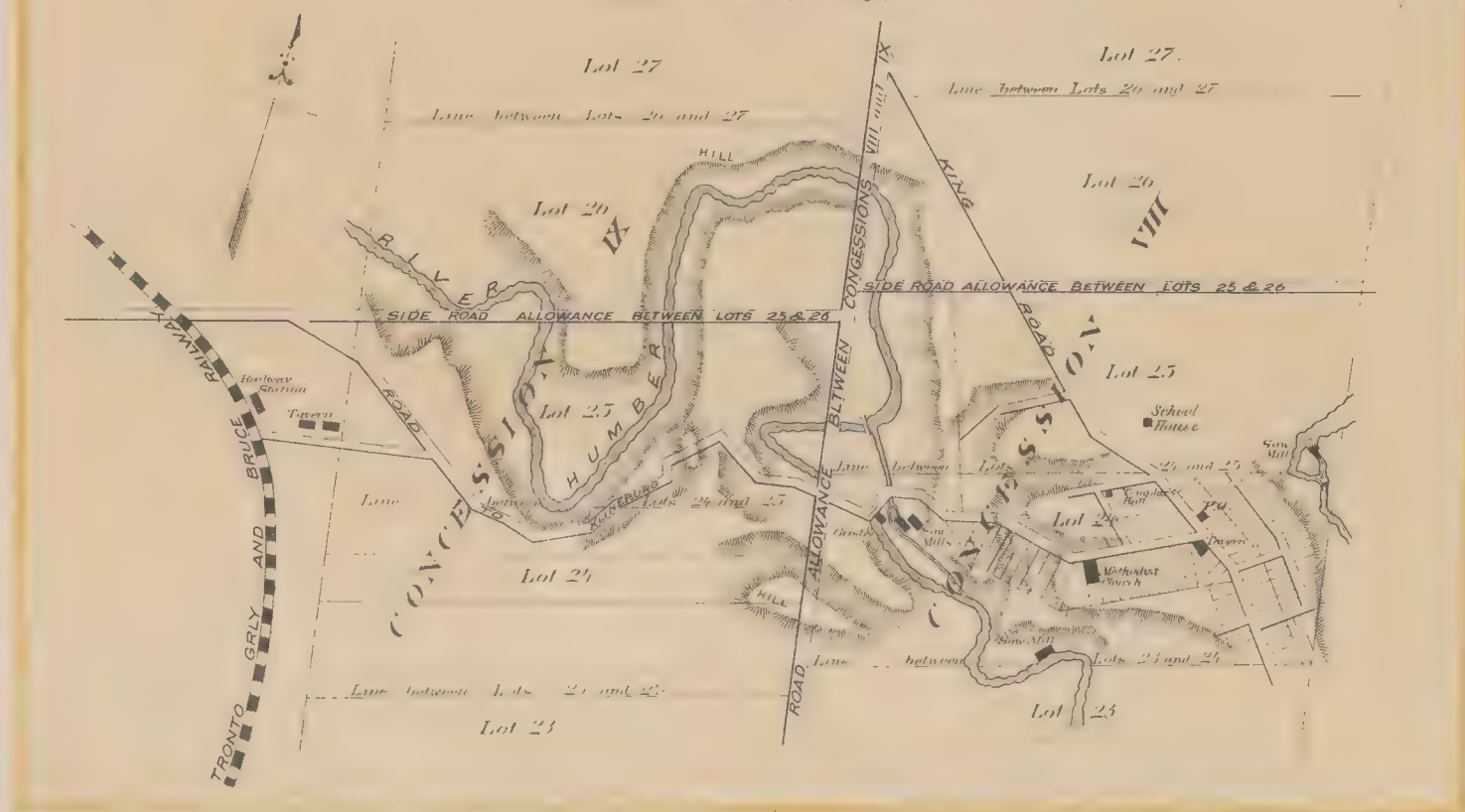




VILLAGE OF KLINEBURG.

TOWNSHIP OF VAUGHAN

SCALE 20 CHAINS 1 INCH





REFERENCE

- Farm House
- ★ Church
- ⊗ Sor G. Mill
- School House
- Cheese Factory
- ⊠ Post Office
- ▨ Orchard
- ↗ Same Owner

WEST GWILLIMBURY.

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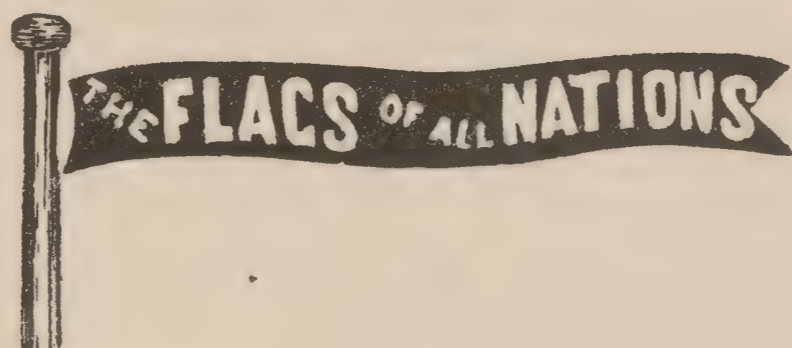


- EXPLANATION**
- ○ ○ Post Office
 - ○ ○ P.O. and Money Order Office
 - ○ ○ P.O., Money Order Office and P.O. Savings Bank
 - ⚡ Telegraph Station
 - ⚓ Port of Entry
 - Railways completed
 - - - Railways in progress
 - Distances between Towns over Post Roads.

**NEW
RAILWAY AND POSTAL MAP
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Scale, 10 Miles to one inch.
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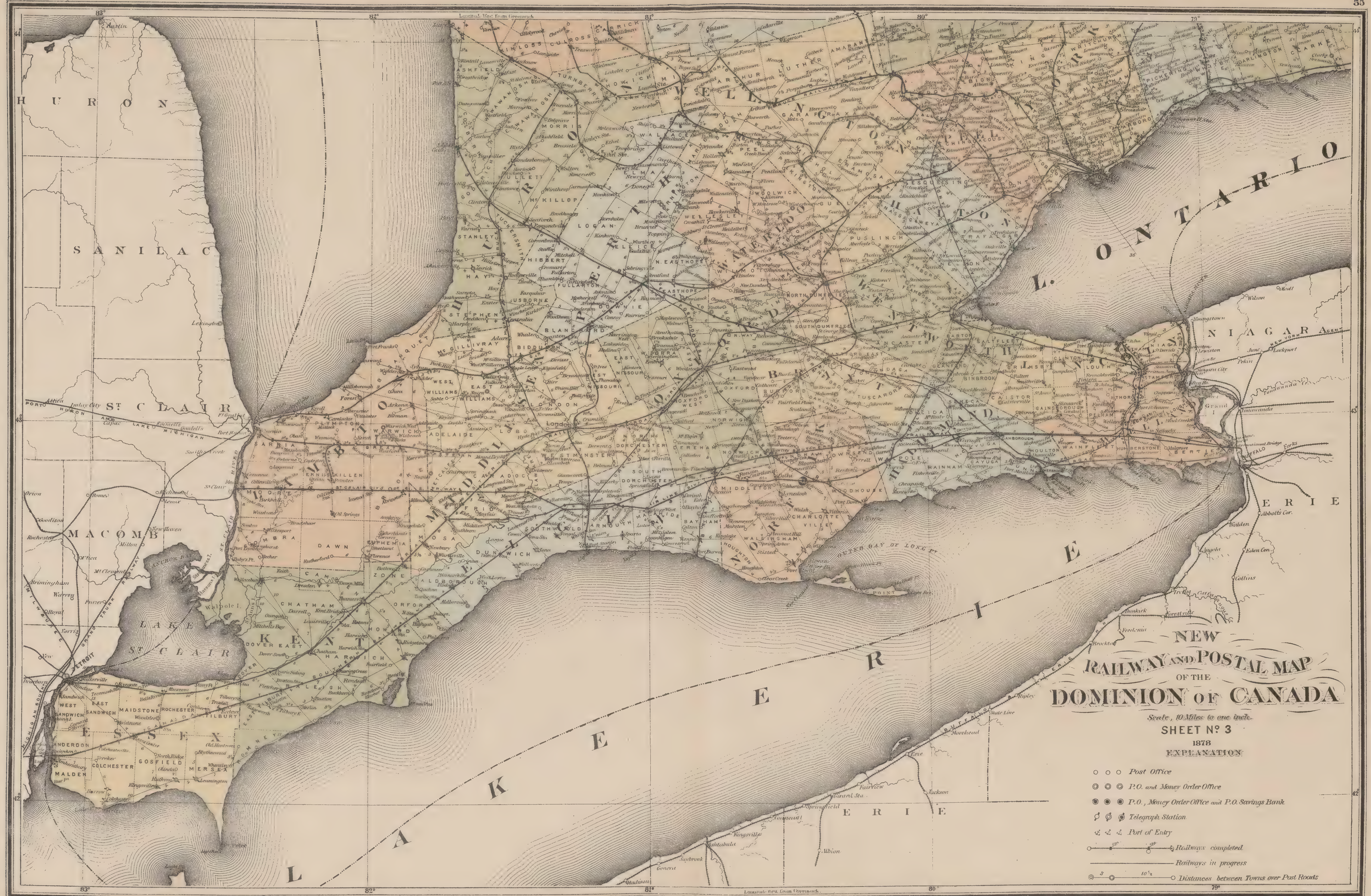
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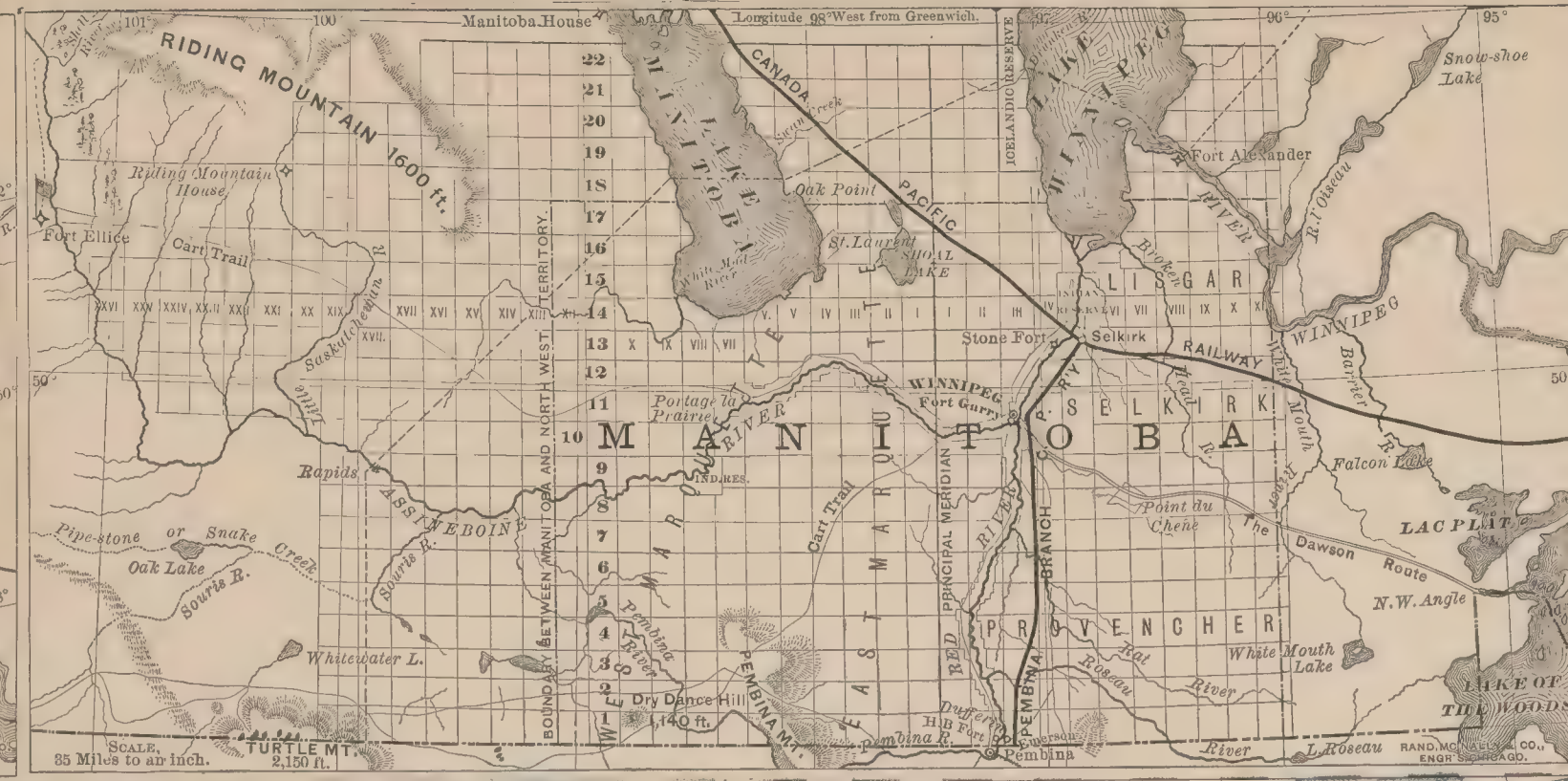
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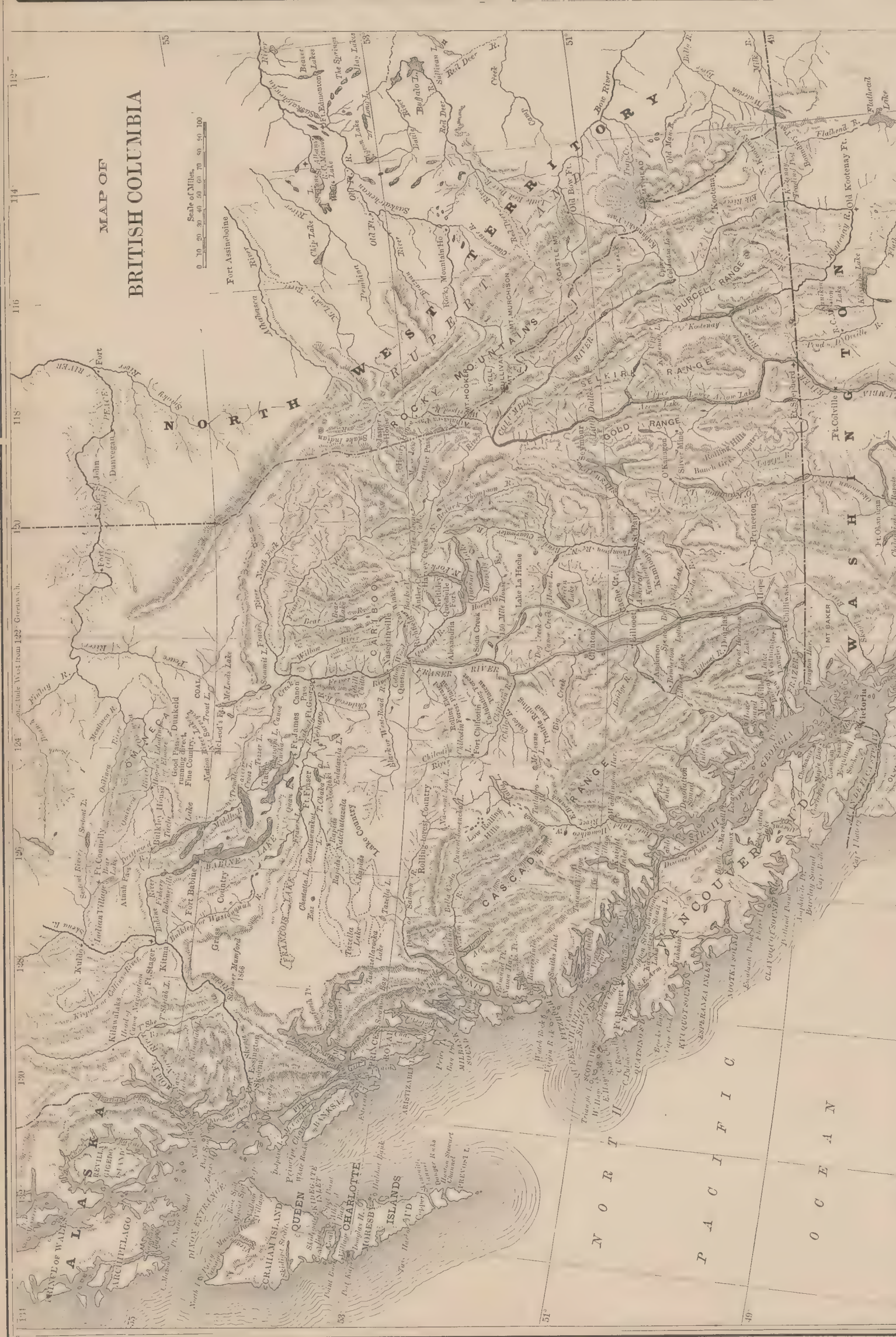
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Arnold, W.	Maple.	1878	England.	Maple	Marble Dealer.
Devlin, Wm.	Con 3, Lot 26	1830	Ireland	do	Retired Farmer and J P
Devlin, Thomas.	Maple.	1854	Canada	do	Gentleman
Dickout, Henry.	do.	1826	do	do	Retired Farmer
Graham, Robert	Con 1, Lot 43 & 44.	1844	do	Patterson	Farmer
Hardy, J. & Sons.	Maple.	1878	Eng & Canada.	Maple	Millers
Keffer, Benjamin	Sherwood.	1840	Canada	do	Builder and Contractor
Line, John	Con 4, Lot 18.	1831	do	do	Farmer and Stock Breeder
Lahmer, Alfred.	Con 4, Lot 21	1857	do	do	Farmer
Malloy, Alex	Con 7, Lot 33	1838	do	Purpleville.	Farmer and J P
McEachren, Colin	Lot 33, Con 5	1848	Canada.	Laskay	Farmer and Mill Owner
Oliver, Joshua	Con 3, Lot 20.	1845	England.	Maple.	Farmer
Raith, P S	Sherwood.	1865	Canada.	do	Carriage Maker and Blacksmith.
Rupert, W D.	Con 3, Lot 16	1830	Ireland	do	Farmer
Shunk, Nathaniel.	Maple.	1853	Canada	do	Carpenter and Joiner
Shuuk, Wm.	Con 4, Lot 12.	1838	do	do	Farmer
Watson, Donald	Maple.	1877	do	do	Hotel Keeper
Watson, James.	Con 3, Lot 23.	1832	Scotland	do	Farmer and County Constable.
Whitehelo, James C.	Parry Sound.	1869	England.	Parry Sound.	Carriage and Waggon Maker
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NAME.	RESIDENCE.	Year of settlement in Co. or Establishment in business.	NATIVITY.	P.O.ADDRESS	OCCUPATION.
Armour, D & A.	Lot 2, Con 8.	1848	Canada.	Nobleton	Farmers
Hall, C H	Springhill.	1873	Canada	King.	Saddle and Harness Maker
Humphries, Wm.	King Creek.	1866	Ireland.	King Creek.	Miller
Hunter, Loftus T.	Con 10, Lot 14	1859	Canada	Nobleton	Farmer
Lawrie, W T	Springhill.	1876	do	King.	Merchant
McDonald, Thomas.	Nobleton	1853	Canada.	Nobleton	Waggon & Carriage Manuf
Mulholland, W H.	Con 3, Lot 3	1852	do	do	Farmer
Phillips, Robert J	Nobleton	1857	do	Nobleton.	Farmer
Smith, J.	Springhill.	1866	England.	King	Agent N R R
Smeltzer, Joseph.	Con 5, Lot 2	1835	Canada.	Laskay	Farmer
Turkington, W J	Springhill.	1870	Ireland.	King	Tin and Sheet Iron Manuf
TOWNSHIP OF WHITCHURCH.					
Haight, Franklin	Newmarket.	1850	Canada	Newmarket.	School Teacher
Keetch, Wm	do.	1853	England.	do	Gen Merchant
Livingston, Robert.	Petchville.	1846	Canada	Aurora	Blacksmith
Nash, S N.	Newmarket.	1853	do	Newmarket	Watchmaker and Jeweller
Petheram, J B.	Bogart Town.	1876	do	do	Miller
Robinson, A.	Aurora	1866	England.	Aurora	Dentist
West, Arthur.	Newmarket.	1871	do	Newmarket.	Agent
Wilkin, Joseph H	Bogart Town	1854	Canada.	do	Waggon Maker
TOWNSHIP OF EAST GWILLIMBURY.					
Flanagan, J P.	Sharon	1878	Ireland.	Sharon	Hotel Keeper
TOWNSHIP OF YORK.					
Johnston, Robert.	Weston.	1855	Ireland.	Weston.	Post Master

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NAME OF THE MUNICIPALITY.	Number of Acres Assessed.	Number of Ratepay- ers Assessed.	ASSETS.			REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.				Aggregate number of persons in the families of those persons rated as residents.	Number of Cattle.	Number of Sheep.	Number of Hogs.	Number of Horses.	Number of Dogs and Bitches.
			Assessed Value of Real Estate.	Assessed Value of Personal Property.	Amount of Taxable Income.	Rates in the \$ Im- posed for all pur- poses, including City, County, and School rates.	Amount raised for School Purposes.	Amount of Taxes Collected within the year.	Received from Gov- ernment on account of Schools.	Total amount Ex- pended for Educa- tional Purposes.	Expenses for salaries and all other Ex- penses of Municipal Government.	Expenditure on Roads and Bridges	Expenditures on all other Accounts Except Interest.						
1 ETOBICOKE.....	29,197	676	1,388,790	111,900	400	3 mills	3,446	7,919		4,239	660	1,433	707	2,576	1,809	1,813	1,115	1,327	339
2 GEORGINA.....	29,891	513	674,540	42,250		6	2,125	6,999	250	2,660	460	2,308	1,891	1,948	1,658	1,943	731	722	154
3 N. GWILLIMBURY.....	31,435	562	880,300	44,850	400	5 1/2	2,462	5,498	340	2,889	496	401	4,765	1,147	1,660	1,285	812	906	137
4 E. GWILLIMBURY.....	58,397	1,294	1,373,613	94,700	1,225	3 1/2	800	4,716		898	736	1,293	291	3,800	2,597	3,662	1,362	1,586	269
5 KING.....	84,819	1,553	3,374,491	392,000	9,200	1 7/10	8,225	14,821	1,104	10,385	4,654	1,650	13,389	5,612	4,645	6,652	3,247	3,115	609
6 MARKHAM.....	69,547	1,260	3,128,615	118,550	1,000	2 1/2	5,602	10,350	1,160	1,107	997	2,226	5,774	5,674	4,049	5,579	2,683	3,030	560
7 SCARBORO.....	42,783	1,054	2,402,990	130,550	5,900	2 2-5	947	9,040	681	6,276	645	3,490	5,351	4,185	3,599	3,054	1,174	1,773	413
8 VAUGHAN.....	67,584	1,767	2,566,555	139,945	5,050	3	5,680	10,350		4,587	1,001	1,050	2,498	3,973	3,359	4,344	1,997	2,152	447
9 WHITCHURCH.....	59,988	1,301	1,832,381	112,600	1,300	2 9/10	2,411	8,706	682	2,950	4,034	4,244	3,349	10,365	3,308	2,081	1,883	2,805	661
10 YORK.....	65,175	3,020	5,073,500	231,750	17,600	9 57/100	3,119	16,351	371	9,179	5,196	2,732	24,726	4,202	79	105	135	147	78
11 YORKVILLE.....	500	1,012	2,062,633	83,030	36,817	6 1/2	3,360	6,410	198	3,710	362	2,579	2,048	1,906	168	114	125	79	49
12 NEW MARKET.....	690	561	419,246	39,700	10,700	3 1/2	700	1,043	94	760	166	249	387	598	176	56	90	81	81
13 HOLLAND LANDING.....	1,721	144	80,364	12,525	800	7 7/10	1,350	3,005	167	1,517	286	1,446	885	1,203	74	69	56	90	81
14 AURORA.....	1,071	351	243,288	15,025	2,200	4	1,222	2,709	157	1,167	304	675	471	872	68	43	59	96	41
15 MARKHAM VILLAGE.....	470	200	168,964	27,650	4,150	4 4/5	1,060	1,667	115	1,175	365	287	2,140	659	67	45	80	105	41
16 RICHMOND HILL.....	472	151	128,335	8,650	1,900	5 1/2	750	1,193	128	1,139	362	970	128	718	23	4	41	72	31
17 STOUFFVILLE.....	440	216	162,410	10,000															
Total Towns, &c.	543,880	15,635	26,684,265	1,617,675	98,642		44,129	129,832	6,589	64,557	24,280	29,133	74,737	54,818	29,818	35,661	18,157	20,688	40,705
Add for County.....							7,448	24,854	9,907	4,552	6,638	79	10,941						
Total CITY OF TORONTO.....	543,880	15,635	26,684,265	1,617,675	98,642	19 1/2 mills	51,577	154,686	16,496	69,109	30,918	29,212	85,678	70,867	537	5	20	1,658	2,455
		25,050	40,291,884	8,761,881	incl'd Income		91,869	1,004,934	10,989	117,159	51,739	169,522	149,560						
														Ad. Justice					

N.B.—The figures for Toronto are for 1878, except Revenue and Expenditure.

Aggregate Value of all Manufacturing Industries in the County of York.				
Capital Invested.	Number of hands employed.	Amount of yearly wages.	Value of raw material.	Total value of products.
County.	\$1,211,548	3,027	\$ 623,030	\$ 3,898,355
City of Toronto.	4,036,158	9,400	2,690,993	13,686,093

N.B.—We extract these statistics of manufacture from the Dominion Census Returns of 1871. No doubt a considerable increase has since taken place, but no reports are available.

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CITY OF TORONTO.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	P.O. ADDRESS.	NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	P.O. ADDRESS.
Alexander & Stark.....	Equity Chambers, Adelaide st E.	Real Estate and Stock Brokers	Toronto	Freehold Loan & Savings Co.....	54 Church st.		Toronto
British & Canadian Loan & Investment Co.	14 Adelaide st E.		do	Finch, W. S.	6 and 8 King st E.	Real Estate Broker	do
Boswell & Robertson.....	25 Toronto st.	Barristers, etc.	do	Farmers' & Mechanics' Loan Co.	17 Toronto st.		do
Badgerow & Strathey.....	4 do	do	do	Fitzgerald & Arnoldi.....	46 Church st.	Barristers, etc.	do
Bailey, J. C.	29 Wellington st E.	Chief Engineer C. V. Ry. Co.	do	Fitch, J. C.	32 Yonge st.	Wholesale Grocer	do
Bethune, Osler & Moss.....	Union Block, corner of Adelaide and Toronto sts.	Barristers, etc.	do	Faulkner, Geo.	11 King st W.	Real Estate Agent	do
Blake, Kerr & Boyd.....	31 Adelaide st E.	Barristers, etc.	do	Ferguson, Bain, Gordon & Shepley.....	Imp. Bank Building, Wellington st	Barristers, etc.	do
Beatty, Chadwick & Biggar.....	Toronto Bank Building, corner Wellington and Church sts.	Barristers and Attorneys	do	Farmers Loan & Savings Co.....	17 Toronto st.		do
Beatty, Miller & Biggar.....	do	Barristers and Solicitors	do	Fraser, Robert L.	Masonic Buildings, Toronto st.	Barrister, etc.	do
Brown, George.....	American House.	Hotel Keeper	do	Gooderham & Worts.....	Imp. Bank Bldg., Wellington st E.	Distillers and Merchants	do
Bell & Co.	13 Adelaide st.	Printers	do	Greene, C. H.	48 Adelaide st E.	Barrister, etc.	do
Bank of Toronto.....	Corner Wellington and Church sts.	Bankers	do	Griffith, R. J.	18 Court st.	Merchant	do
Bethune, G. S. C.	17 Toronto st.	Sec.-Treas. Farmers' Ln. & Sav. Co.	do	Gibson, J. G.	54 Winchester st.	Marble and Monument Dealer	do
Bull, T. H.	51 Adelaide st E.	Barrister and Clerk of the Peace	do	Gray, J.	Brocton	Gardener and Florist	Box 493 Toronto
British America Assurance Company.....	Corner Front and Scott sts.	Fire and Marine Insurance	do	Gamble, Clark.....	British Am. Ins. Building, Scott st	Barrister, etc.	Toronto
Building & Loan Association.....	34 King st E.		do	Goulding & Son.....	40 Yonge st.	Wholesale Millinery & Fancy Goods	do
Bank of British North America.....	Corner Wellington and Yonge sts.	Bankers	do	Hagel, N. F.	52 Adelaide st.	Barrister, etc.	do
Bank of Montreal.....	Corner Yonge and Front sts.	Barrister, etc.	do	Howland, H. S.	Imperial Bank Buildings.	President Imperial Bank	do
Boulton & Snellie.....	32 Adelaide st E.	do	do	H. S. Howland, Sons & Co.	37 Front st W.	Wholesale Hardware	do
Bigelow, N. Gordon.....	4 King st W.	do	do	Howland, W. P., & Co.	22 to 28 Church st.	Commission Merchant	do
Blake, John N.	56 Church st.	do	do	Holland, G. B.	58 Church st.	Equitable Life Assurance Company	do
Brown Bros.	66 and 68 King st E.	Wholesale Stationers	do	Howard, A. McL.	Court House, Adelaide st.	Clerk 1st Division Court	do
Buntin Bros. & Co.	61 and 63 Yonge st.	do and Paper Manufacturers	do	Hamilton, R. C.			do
Bryce, McMurich & Co.	34 Yonge st.	Wholesale Dry Goods	do	Hope & Temple.	18 King st E.	Stock Brokers and Real Estate	do
Brett, R. H.	11 Toronto st.	Banker	do	Hime, H. L., & Co.	20 King st E.	do	do
Barclay, Peter.....	194 King st.	Flour, Feed and Commission	do	Hodgins & Sprague.....	3 Masonic Buildings, Toronto st.	Barristers, etc.	do
Browne, H. J. & W. A.	46 Adelaide st.	Civil Engineers and P. L. S.	do	Hodgson & Boyd.....	41 Yonge st.	Wholesale Dry Goods and Notions	do
British Canadian Loan & Investment Co.	14 Adelaide st.		do	Hughes Bros.	52 Yonge st.	Wholesale Dry Goods	do
Baines, W. & C.	8 Toronto st.	Stock Brokers and Real Estate	do	Heward, W. B.	Osgoode Hall.	Clerk of Judge's Chambers	do
Beatty, Hamilton & Cassels.....	13 Adelaide st E.	Barristers, etc.	do	Hart & Rawlinson.....	5 King st W.	Booksellers	do
Cassels, Son & Co.	32 King st E.	Bankers and Stock Brokers	do	Huffman, Peter.....	215 and 217 Yonge st.	Green Bush Hotel	do
Campbell & Cassels.....	56 and 58 King st E.	Bankers and Stock Brokers	do	Hunter, Rose & Co.	23 Wellington st W.	Printers and Publishers	do
Caddick, Richard.....	17 Toronto st.	Barrister, etc.	do	Harris, Geo. B., & Co.	21 Toronto st.	Real Estate Dealers	do
Canada Port Building & Saving Society.....	14 and 16 Toronto st.		do	Irish, Mark H.	Rossin House.....	Hotel Proprietor	do
Canada Landed Credit Co.	21 and 23 Toronto st.		do	Imperial Bank.....	Impl. Bnk. Bldgs., Wellington st.	Bankers	do
Colonial Trusts Corporation.....	17 Wellington st W.		do	Isolated Risk Insurance Co.	16 Wellington st E.		do
Crooks, Kingsmill & Cattanaach.....	do	Barristers, etc.	do	Ince, T. H.	17 Adelaide st E.	Barrister, etc.	do
Canadian Bank of Commerce.....	Corner Yonge and Colborne sts.	Bankers	do	Jarvis, Edgar J.	23 Toronto st.	Real Estate	do
Cameron, McMichaels & Hoskin.....	46 Church st.	Barristers, etc.	do	James, S.	do	Civil Engineer and P. L. S.	do
Cross, J. F.	63 King st E.	do	do	Jarvis, F. W.	Court House, Adelaide st.	Sheriff of York County	do
Crowther, Tilt & McArthur.....	97 King st E.	do	do	Jeffs, John.....	284 Queen st E.	Grocer	do
Cameron & Appleby.....	4 Toronto st.	do	do	Kennedy, Thos. S.	6 Wellington st E.	Barrister, etc.	do
Carton & Galt.....	Mechanics' Institute, Church st.	do	do	Kent Bros.	166 Yonge st.	Jewellers and Watchmakers	do
Coombe, J.	155 King st E.	Druggist	do	Kingsford, R. E.	56 Church st.	Barrister, etc.	do
Cramp, Torrance & Co.	65 Front st E.	Wholesale Merchants	do	London & Ontario Investment Co.....	34 Church st.		do
Chamberlin, Chas.	2 Parliament st.	Builder and Contractor	do	London & Canadian Loan and Agency Co.	44 King st E.		do
Canavan, W. B.	48 Adelaide st E.	Barrister, etc.	do	Laidlaw, G.	38 Front st E.	President Credit Valley Ry. Co.	do
Cheyne, Robert.....	7 South Pembroke st.	Merchant	do	Law Society.....	Osgoode Hall.		do
Consolidated Bank of Canada.....	27 Wellington st E.	Bankers	do	Leys & Pearson.....	18 Court st.	Barrister, etc.	do
Craig, John R.	Corner Queen and Yonge	Secretary Agricultural Association	do	Lee, W. S.	70 Church st.	Man. West. Can. Loan & Savings Co	do
Dwight, H. P.	Corner Wellington and Scott sts.	Manager Montreal Telegraph Co.	do	Lindsay, Chas.	Foxley Grove, Dover Court Road.	City Registrar	do
Delamere, Black & Reesor.....	17 Toronto st.	Barristers, etc.	do	Lumsden, James.....	230 Queen st E.	Grocer and Baker	do
Dominion Bank.....	Corner Yonge and King sts.	Bankers	do	Leslie, Geo. & Sons.....	Leslieville.	Nurserymen and Florists	do
Dun, Wiman & Co.	17 Wellington st E.	Mercantile Agency	do	Lake & Clark.....	41 Adelaide st E.	Real Estate and Insurance Agents	do
Duggan, E. H.	Jordan st.	Barrister and Clerk 10th Div. Court	do	Leith, Kingstone & Brough.....	62 Church st.	Barristers, etc.	do
Dunavan, Joseph A.	21 Court st.	Barrister, etc.	do	Macdonald, J. G.	44 King st W.	Manager London & Canadian Loan and Agency Company	do
Dixon, M. A.	do		do	Macdonald & Patterson.....	York Chambers, 8 Toronto st.	Barristers, etc.	do
Durand, Chas.	1 Adelaide st E.	Barrister, etc.	do	McMurray & Fuller.....	31 Front st E.	Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in Wooden Ware	do
Dobbie & Carrie.....	9 Front st W.	Wholesale Dry Goods	do	McGaw & Winnett.....	Queen's Hotel.....	Hotel Proprietors	do
Damer, J., & Co.	77 King st E.	Wholesale & Retail Boots & Shoes	do	Macdonald, J. K.	1 Temple Chambers, Toronto st.	County Treasurer and Manager Confederation Life Association	do
Day, J. E.	94 and 96 King st W.	Commercial College	do	McCord, A. T., Jr., & Co.	52 Adelaide st E.	Stock Brokers and Insurance Agents	do
Dodds, E. King.	Corner Bay and Melinda sts.	Publishers, etc.	do	Macdonald, Macdonald & Marsh.	25 Toronto st.	Barristers, etc.	do
Eakin, Geo.	Court House, Adelaide st.	County Clerk	do	McDonald, D. Mitchell.....	20 Union Bldgs., Queen st W.	do	do
Evans & Boomer.....	26 Adelaide st.	Barristers, etc.	do	McBride, John.....	46 Adelaide st E.	do	do
Elliott & Co.	3 Front st E.	Wholesale Druggists	do	McGregor, P.	26 Adelaide st E.	do	do
Eldridge, John.....	459 King st E.	Baker	do	MacGillivray, W. L., & Co.	72 Yonge st.	Blank Book Manufacturers & Wholesale Commercial Stationers	do
Eldridge, Mrs. John.....	do	do	do				
Educational Department.....	Normal School Building.		do				
English & Scottish Investment Co.	22 to 26 Church st.		do				
Eby, Jos. F., & Co.	11 Front st E.	Wholesale Tea Merchants	do				

CITY OF TORONTO.-CONTINUED.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	P.O. ADDRESS.	NAME.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION.	P.O. ADDRESS.
Macdonald, John, & Co.	21 and 23 Wellington st E.	Wholesale Dry Goods	Toronto	Sweetlove, M. T. B.	58 Lumley st.	Travelling Agent	Toronto
McMaster, A. R., & Bros.	12 Front st W.	do	do	Smith, J. Lamond.	Ben Lamond.	Man. Toronto Grav. & Concrete Co.	do
McLean, D.	43 Front st W.	Leather Merchant	do	Stephens, R. P.	Osgoode Hall.	Referee Court of Chancery	do
McMurrick, W. B.	32 Toronto st.	Barrister, etc.	do	Smith & Rae.	101 Adelaide st E.	Barristers, etc.	do
McPhail, Robert.	16 Front st.	Wholesale Stationer & Fancy Goods	do	Samson, Kennedy & Gemmel.	41 Scott, corner Colborne st.	Wholesale Dry Goods	do
McRae, John A.	Commercial Hotel, 56 Jarvis st.	Hotel Keeper	do	Smith, James E.	Custom House.	Collector of Customs	do
Morrison, J. C., Hon.	Woodlawn, Yonge st.	Judge Court Queen's Bench	do	Sessions, Cooper & Smith.	36 and 40 Front st.	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers	do
Murray, Barwick & Lyon	87 King st W.	Barristers, etc.	do	St. George, Quetton & Co.	16 King st W.	Wine and Liquor Importers	do
Morphy & Winchester.	65 and 57 Yonge st.	Barristers and Attorneys	do	Stuttaford, Andrew.	125 Church st.	Deputy City Registrar	do
Morphy & Monkman.	do	Barristers and Solicitors	do	Searth, Cochrane & Co.	38 Toronto st.	Stock Brokers and Bankers	do
Moore, F. A. & Son.	Equity Chambers, Adelaide st.	Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.	do	Shanley, Frank.	City Hall.	City Engineer and C. E.	do
Molson's Bank.	48 King st W.	Bankers	do	Smith, A.	St. James Hotel.	Hotel Proprietor	do
Merchants' Bank.	13 Wellington st W.	do	do	Strange, Frederick W.	299 Jarvis st.	Physician and Surgeon	do
Meyers, Adam H., Jr.	Pacific Buildings, 23 Scott st.	Barrister, etc.	do	Standard Bank.	Cor Yonge and Wellington sts.	Bankers	do
Millock & Campbell.	17 Toronto st.	do	do	Severn, John, J. P.	82 Yonge st. Yorkville.	Brewer	do
Miller, R. B.	52 Adelaide st E.	do	do	Spencer, McDougalls & Gordon.	39 Adelaide st E.	Barristers, etc.	do
Mowatt, MacLennan & Downey.	22 and 26 Church st.	do	do	Shaw, S., Jr.	64 King st E.	Banker and Broker	do
Michie & Co., G.	1 Front st E.	Wholesale Grocers	do	Smallpeice, H. E. & Co.	18 Court st.	Pubs. of Observer and National	do
May, Thos., & Co.	58 and 60 Wellington st W.	Wholesale Millinery	do	Scott & Walmsley.	22 to 26 Church st.	Fire and Marine Insurance Agents	do
Norris & Soper.	8 Adelaide st E.	Pianos and Music	do	Trust & Loan Co. of Canada.	25 Toronto st.	do	do
Nelson, H. A., & Sons.	56 and 58 Front st W.	Wholesale Toys and Wooden Ware	do	Thorne & Foy.	Equity Chambers, Adelaide st E.	Barristers, etc.	do
National Investment Co. of Canada.	Corner Adelaide and Victoria.	do	do	Taylor, T. W.	Osgoode Hall.	Master in Chancery	do
Odell, J. D.	112 and 114 King st W.	Commercial College	do	Tomlinson, A. W.	171 Bathurst st.	Photographic Artist	do
Ontario Bank.	Corner Wellington and Scott sts.	Bankers	do	Thompson, Thos. & Son.	Mammoth House, 136 & 140 King st E.	Dry Goods and Clothing	do
Patterson, Thos.	232 to 236 Queen st E.	Grocer	do	Toronto Building & Loan Association.	5 Victoria st.	do	do
Patterson, John.	Sydenham st.	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	do	Terry, Edward.	23 and 25 George st.	Plaster, Bricks and Salt	do
Patterson, John.	Ontario Hall, Court st.	Barrister, etc.	do	Taylor, Thos. & Bro.	Cor. West Market and Colborne sts.	Paper Manufacturers	do
Powell, James.	do	do	do	Union Loan & Savings Co.	34 Toronto st.	do	do
Patterson, T. C.	Mail newspaper office.	do	do	Unser, G.	do	do	do
Prince, W. I.	do	Warden of Central Prison	do	Wilson, Wm.	38 Albert st.	Cattle Dealer	do
Passmore, F. F.	80 Penbrooke st.	Provincial Land Surveyor	do	Wright, James.	166 King st.	Tavern Keeper	do
Queen City Fire Insurance Co.	22 to 26 Church st.	do	do	Wright, Mrs. J.	do	do	do
Quebec Bank.	58 Wellington st E.	Bankers	do	Whitney & Morton.	25 Toronto st.	Real Estate Agents	do
Quetton St. George & Co.	16 King st W.	Wine and Spirit Importers	do	Western Canada Loan & Savings Co.	70 Church st.	do	do
Rose-Belford Publishing Co.	60 York st.	Publishers	do	Walker, Robert & Sons.	Golden Lion, 33, 35 & 37 King st E.	Dry Goods, Clothing, Carpets, etc.	do
Robertson, J. Ross.	67 Yonge st.	Proprietor Evening Telegram	do	Walls, Thos. & Co.	16 & 18 Wellington st E.	Auctioneers & Commission Merch'ts	do
Ridout, John.	Corner Richmond and Clare sts.	Registrar York County	do	Willing & Williamson.	12 King st E.	Booksellers and Stationers	do
Reeve & Platt.	18 King st E.	Barristers, etc.	do	Walker, David.	Walker House.	Hotel Proprietor	do
Read & Keefer.	75 King st E.	do	do	Wadsworth & Unwin.	52 Adelaide st E.	Civil Engineers and P. L. S.	do
Rose, Macdonald & Merritt.	78 King st E.	do	do	Young, John.	361 Yonge st.	Undertaker	do
Reid, C. P. & Co.	29 Front st E.	Wholesale Wine & Spirit Merchant	do	Zimmerman, R.	107 Church st.	Physician	do
Ross, John.	118 Queen st.	Hotel Keeper	do				
Roaf & Roaf.	24 Church st.	Barristers	do				

TOWNSHIP OF ETOBICOKE.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	Year of Settlement in Co. or Establishment in Business.	NATIVITY.	P.O. ADDRESS.	OCCUPATION.	NAME.	RESIDENCE.	Year of Settlement in Co. or Establishment in Business.	NATIVITY.	P.O. ADDRESS.	OCCUPATION.
Atkinson, Thos.	Con 3, Lot 37.	1832	England.	Humber	Farmer	Ide, H. T.	Islington	1855	England.	Islington	Blacksmith
Atkinson, Mrs T.	" 3, " 33.	1831	do	Highfield	Farmer	Jackson, Thos.	Con 1, B F, Lot 4.	1856	do	Mimico	Farmer
Ackrow, John.	do	1831	do	do	do	Jackson, Fanny.	do	1841	do	do	do
Ackrow, Mrs J.	do	1831	do	do	do	Kennedy, Geo W.	Weston	1861	Canada.	Weston	Builder and Livery Keeper
Atkinson, Jacob C.	Range 3, 6.	1839	Canada.	Lambton Mills	Farmer and Manufacturer	McPherson, Alex.	Islington	1855	do	Islington	Gen Merch., Town's Clerk & Treas
Atkinson, Mrs J C.	do	1839	do	do	do	McPherson, Mrs A.	Smithfield.	1843	Wales.	do	Butcher
Ashman, James.	Weston	1808	England.	Weston	Farmer	McDonald, Mrs A.	do	1850	Canada.	do	do
Aiken, Edward.	do	1869	Canada.	do	Physician	McFarlane, Alex.	Con 4, Lot 9 F L.	1823	Scotland.	Somerville	Farmer
Brownridge, John.	Islington.	1873	do	Islington	Hotel Keeper	McFarlane, Mrs A.	do	1848	Ireland.	do	do
Brownridge, Mrs J.	do	1873	do	do	do	McPherson, Wm.	Weston	1828	Scotland.	Weston	Gentleman
Brown, James.	Meridian 1, Lot 10.	1871	Scotland.	Mimico	Farmer	McDonald, Jno.	Con 1, Lot 31.	1840	do	do	Gentleman farmer and Miller
Brown, Mrs Jas.	do	1871	do	do	do	Middlebrook, Geo.	" 3, " 18.	1829	Canada.	Richview	Farmer
Boyd, John McIntyre.	do	1871	do	do	Farmer	Mercer, Robert.	" 2, " 28.	1872	England.	Highfield	Farmer and Tavern Keeper
Burgess Wm.	Range 3, Lot 1.	1834	England.	do	Market Gardener	Mercer, Mrs R.	do	1856	do	Islington	Farmer
Burgess, Mrs W.	do	1834	do	do	do	Montgomery, W J.	" 1, " 9.	1854	Canada.	do	do
Brown, Geo. (Geo.)	Con 1, Lot 10.	1875	do	do	Farmer	Marshall, Johnson.	" 1, B F 3.	1852	England.	Mimico	Farmer
Bolton, Isaac.	Weston	1875	Canada.	Weston	Gen Merch't	Marshall, Mrs.	do	1867	Canada.	do	do
Bull, Jacob.	do	1869	do	do	Builder	Montgomery, Thos.	" 1, " 8.	1808	Ireland.	Islington	Yeoman
Canning, Matthew.	Con 1, Lot 17.	1854	United States.	Islington	Farmer	Madril Samuel.	" 1, " 24.	1827	do	Islington	Gentleman farmer
Canning, Mrs M.	do	1854	Canada.	do	do	Moore, Geo.	" A, " 11.	1823	Canada.	do	Gentleman farmer
Custard, Daniel.	Con G.	1812	United States.	Somerville	Farmer & Nurseryman	Noble, John L.	Con 2 Meridian, Lot 10	1858	England.	Mimico	Farmer
Custon, Mrs D.	do	1812	do	do	do	Noble, Mrs J L.	do	1856	do	do	do
Chapman, Parish.	" 5, F L Lot 8.	1852	England.	Islington	Farmer	Northcote, Chas.	" B F, Lots 2 & 3.	1875	Toronto.	do	Farmer
Chapman, Mrs P.	do	1852	do	do	do	Northcote, Mrs C.	do	1875	do	do	do
Clark, David.	" 1, " 2.	1870	Scotland.	Mimico	Farmer	Newlove, John.	" A, " 13.	1836	England.	Islington	Farmer
Clark, Mrs D.	do	1875	do	do	do	Orin, Jonathan.	Lots E. & F.	1834	Canada.	Summerville	Farmer
Clark, Wm.	do	1870	do	do	Farmer	Orin, Mrs J.	do	1855	do	do	do
Clark, Jno.	" 2, Meridian, Lot 11	1875	do	do	Farmer	Pidgeon, Wm.	Mimico Estate.	1874	do	Mimico	Saddler and Harness Maker
Clark, Mrs J.	do	1875	England.	do	do	Peters, Thomas.	Con 1, Lot 31.	1876	do	Thistletown	Farmer
Conron, James.	Weston	1846	Ireland.	Weston	Butcher	Philips W.	Thistletown	do	do	do	do
Coulter, James.	Con A, Lot 35.	1822	do	Thistletown	Iron Foundry	Rowntree, Jos.	Con A Lot 39.	1832	do	do	do
Cornish, Frances.	Range 2 & 3, Lot 14.	1849	England.	Lambton Mills	Farmer (Retired)	Ramage, Thos.	" 4, " 17.	1853	Scotland.	Richview	Farmer
Coulter, John.	Con A Lot 14.	1870	Islington.	Islington	Gentleman farmer	Ramage, Mrs Thos.	do	1853	Canada.	do	do
Cullum, Truman.	" 5, F L Lot 12.	1870	Canada.	Summerville	Gentleman farmer	Scott, John.	Islington.	1831	Scotland.	Islington	Butcher
Death, Jno T.	Con 3, Lot 13.	1839	do	Islington	Farmer	Silverthorne, N.	Con 4, F L, Lots 10 & 14	1831	Canada.	Summerville	Farmer
Death, Mrs J T.	do	1851	England.	do	Farmer	Stock, Edward.	Mimico Estate.	1830	England.	Mimico	Farmer
Death, Wm P.	" 3, " 13.	1871	Canada.	do	Farmer	Stonehouse, Geo W.	Con C, Lots 13 & 14.	1867	Canada.	Lambton Mills	Merchant
Death, Mrs W T.	do	1832	England.	Mimico	Farmer	Savage, Thos Y.	Thistletown	1867	Canada.	Thistletown	Physician
Death, Abel B.	" 2, Merid. 12 & 13	1832	do	do	do	Scott, Geo.	Mimico Estate.	1873	do	Mimico	Farmer
Death, Mrs A B.	do	1832	do	do	do	Thompson, Geo A.	Con 2, Meridian Lot 14	1855	do	Islington	Farmer
Death, George.	do	1830	Canada.	Weston	Farmer	Tomlinson, Chas.	Range 2, Lot 4.	1849	England.	Lambton Mills	Farmer and Market Gardener
Dixon, Jas.	" 1, Lot 21.	1874	do	do	do	Tomlinson, Mrs Chas.	do	1849	do	do	do
Dixon, Mrs J.	do	1874	Scotland.	do	do	Trim, James.	Con B Lot 13.	1849	do	Weston	Farmer
Duck, John.	Wimble'n House Hum.	1872	Canada.	Mimico	Hotel Keeper	Tremayne, Revd F.	Millwood.	1873	do	Lambton Mills	Rector of Mimico
Duck, Mrs J.	do	1872	do	do	do	Wadsworth, W R.	Weston.	1828	do	Weston	Miller
Douglas, Mrs Janet.	Toronto Tp., Peel Co.	1839	Scotland.	Elm Bank	Gentleman farmer and Miller	Walls, Wm A.	Con 2, Lot 40.	1824	Canada.	Humber	Farmer & J P
Dennis, John.	Weston	1832	Canada.	Weston	do	Walls, Mrs W A.	do	1850	England.	do	do
Farr, Thomas.	Con 2, Lot 34.	1868	do	Thistletown	Farmer	Walls, Jas W.	" 1, " 40.	1871	Canada.	Woodbridge.	Farmer
Farr, Mrs T.	do	1833	England.	Islington	Farmer	Walls, Mrs J W.	" 3, " 40.	1873	do	do	do
Ferris, Thompson.	Islington.	1833	do	Islington	Farmer	Watson, Wm.	" 3, " 40.	1822	England.	Humber	Farmer
Guardhouse, James.	Con 4, Lot 32, 33, 34.	1837	England.	Highfield	Farmer, & Impr. of Farm Stock	Ward, John.	1st Cross, Lot 17, Con 1.	1835	United States.	Islington	Farmer and Dairyman
Garbutt, Geo.	" A & B Lot 23.	1835	Canada.	Thistletown	Farmer	Ward, Mrs J.	do	1837	do	do	do
Garbutt, Mrs G.	do	1864	do	do	do	Wood, Saml.	" 1, " 16.	1837	England.	do	Farmer
Grubb, Wm.	" B Lot 30 & 31.	1832	Scotland.	do	Farmer	Wood, Mrs S.	do	1840	do	do	do
Grubb, Mrs W.	do	1836	England.	do	do						
Giles, Henry.	Weston	1839	Canada.	Weston	Builder						
Gracey, Col H.	do	1869	do	do	Gentleman						
Horne, Dan F.	Con 2, F B, Lots 8, 9 & 10	1867	do	Mimico	Farmer						
Horne, Mrs D F.	do	1867	do	do	do						
Howland, P. & F A.	Lambton Mills	1855	United States.	Lambton Mills	Millers & Farmers						
Harris, Robt.	Con 3, Lot 23	1857	England.	Weston	Farmer						
Harris, Mrs R.	do	1869	do	do	do						

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Armstrong, Thos.	York Mills	1870	Ireland	York Mills	Physician	Lackie, David	Con 1, West Lot 9	1840	Canada	York Mills	Farmer
Albion, John	Lansing	1870	Canada	Lansing	Farmer	Leppington, Robt.	" 3, " 17	1850	England	Downsview	do
Anderson, T. W.	Foxcreek Farm	1866	England	Lansing	Brick and Tile Manuf.	Lawrence, Saml.	" 1, " 6	1854	Canada	Eglinton	do
Andrews, James	Con 2, East Lot 18	1860	Canada	York Mills	Farmer	Long, Wm.	Lansing	1856	England	Lansing	Stock Importer
Armour, Andrew	" 1, West Lot 11	1870	Canada	York Mills	Farmer	Langrell, W. J.	Eglinton	1875	Canada	Eglinton	Butcher
Boston, Frank	Ben Lamond	1869	England	Norway	General Merchant	Leadly, John	Con 4, East Lot 11	1861	do	Wexford	Farmer
Bennett, G. Rev.	Willowdale	1876	do	Willowdale	M E Minister	Langstaff, R. & W.	Weston	1870	Canada	Weston	Pump Makers and Wood Turners
Brown, R. W.	Con 3, West Lot 23	1844	do	Concord	Farmer	McDiarmid, Rev. K. D.	York Mills	1874	Scotland	York Mills	Baptist Minister
Baldwin, W. A.	" 3, (From bay), Lot 22 and 23	1808	do	Toronto	Yeoman	McGlashan, James	Lansing	1876	Canada	Lansing	Postmaster and General Merchant
Brown, Wm.	Eglinton	1844	Ireland	Eglinton	Auctioneer	McDonald, Joseph	Newton Brook	1849	Ireland	Newton Brook	Carriage Builder
Bescoby, Edward	Con 3, (From bay), Lot 22	1845	England	do	Gentleman	McFarlane, Francis	Fairbank	1855	Ireland	Fairbank	Hotel Keeper
Bull, W. J.	" 4, West Lot 8	1875	Canada	Downsview	Farmer	Moore, G. C.	Davenport	1827	Canada	Davenport	Farmer
Bull, J. P.	do	1840	do	do	do & J P	Morgan, Robt.	Eglinton	1864	England	Eglinton	Wholesale Butcher
Brown, John	Weston	1873	do	Weston	Farmer	Moore, Robt.	Con 2, West Lot 1	1829	Canada	Fairbank	Farmer
Barber, Ebenezer	Con 3, Lot 19	1866	England	Lansing	Farmer	Moore, W. A.	" 2, " 4	1822	do	Yorkville	Farmer
Boake, W. F.	" 4, Lot 9	1866	do	Downsview	Farmer	Moore, Mary	" 3, (from bay), Lot 22	1823	do	Eglinton	Lady
Campbell, R. J.	Eglinton	1847	Canada	Eglinton	Grocer	Moore, Kate	do	1823	do	do	do
Crosson, John	Con 5, West Lot 29	1847	England	Thistleton	Farmer	Madill, James	Con 5 West Lot 10	1851	do	Weston	Farmer
Cudmore, John	Lansing	1876	do	Lansing	do	Marr, Rufus P.	York County	1875	do	Lansing	Teacher
Cann, Thos.	Con 2 East Lots 23 & 24	1848	Ireland	Newton Brook	Miller	Mallindine, John	Don Mount	1848	Scotland	Don Mount	Farmer
Cooper, James	" 2, East Lot 15	1854	Canada	Lansing	Farmer	Muirhead, James	Con 3, East Lot 7	1848	Canada	do	do
Clark, Wellington F.	" 4, West Lot 7	1862	England	Weston	Farmer, Auctioneer and P	Milne, Peter W.	" 2, " 5	1867	do	Fairbank	do
Cosby, Wm.	" 3, West Lot 10	1850	Scotland	York Mills	Farmer and Stock-raiser	Magee, James	" 3, (from bay), Lot 35	1867	do	do	do
Cooper, Hugh	do	1848	do	do	do	Norris, Wm.	Eglinton	1860	England	Eglinton	Pianoforte Dealer
Dain, Major	Yorkville	1847	Canada	Weston	Manuf of Pottery and P M	Nightingale, Thos.	Yorkville	1831	Canada	Yorkville	Brick Pipe & Tile Manufacturer
Duncan, Wm.	Con 5, West Lot 18	1840	England	Davisville	Farmer	Nightingale, Joseph	Con 2, (from bay), Lot 32	1852	do	Davenport	Drover
Davis, John	Davisville	1839	Canada	Lansing	Farmer	Nash, William	L'Amoureux	1873	do	L'Amoureux	Store Keeper & Agric'l Machine Ag't
Duncan, Geo.	Con 2, West Lot 15	1837	do	Fairbank	Farmer and Deputy Reeve	Nash, Mrs. Wm.	do	1875	do	do	do
Dollery, Isaac	" 3, " 2	1837	do	Concord	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Oddy, Charles	Lansing	1874	England	Lansing	Gentleman
Dallimore, Geo. A.	Fisherville	1848	Ireland	Downsview	do do J P	Parsons, Matthew	Con 3, West Lot 3	1822	do	Fairbank	Farmer
Duncan, Wm.	Con 3, East Lot 16	1827	Canada	Don	Farmer	Royce, Allan	Davenport	1856	do	Davenport	Miller
Duncan, Henry	" 3, East " 10	1833	do	Davisville	Butcher	Riley, James	Reading Mills	1866	Ireland	Newton Brook	do
Davis, F. N.	Davisville	1843	do	do	Farmer	Rumble & Calvert	York Mills	1844	Canada	York Mills	" and Grain Buyers
Dean, Samuel	Con 3, (from bay), Lot 21	1856	do	Woodbridge	Insurance Agent	Russell, Henry	Weston Hotel, Weston	1840	Canada	Weston	Hotel Keeper
Devins, E. H.	" 6, West Lot 20	1850	do	do	do	Robertson, Thos.	Con 3, (from bay), Lot 38	1870	Scotland	Davenport	Farmer and Brickmaker
Duncan, David	" 3, East Lot 11	1864	do	do	Agent G T R	Reith, James	Empire Mills	1864	England	Newton Brook	Miller and Grain Buyer
Duncan, Mrs. David	do	1876	do	Weston	Farmer	Risebrough, Robt.	Con 2, East Lot 22	1836	do	Wexford	Farmer
Dade, C. R.	Con 2, East Lot 25	1853	do	Newton Brook	Gentleman	Reilly, George	" 4, " 13	1829	United States	do	do
Dickson, John	Eglinton	1814	do	Eglinton	Contractor & Builder	Seraee, Geo.	" 3, " 20	1844	Canada	L'Amoureux	Farmer
Emery, R. Sen	Eglinton	1814	do	Eglinton	Blacksmith	Shaw, Henry A.	Yorkville, 79 Yonge St.	1868	do	Yorkville	Grocer
Fisher, John	Con 1, East Lot 25	1870	England	Newton Brook	Farmer	Street, John	Newton Brook	1870	do	Newton Brook	Carriage Builder
Field Chas.	" 2, (from bay), Lot 10	1865	Scotland	Weston	Farmer	Snider, Edwin	Eglinton	1869	do	Eglinton	Farmer
Francis, Joseph	do	1865	do	Weston	Farmer	Stewart, Chas.	Con 3, Lots 14 & 15	1875	do	Lansing	do
Forsyth, Charles	Weston	1855	do	Weston	Farmer	Stong, J. E.	Yorkville	1846	do	Yorkville	Gentleman
Gilbert, Thos.	Con 3, (from bay), Lot 33	1844	Canada	Davenport	Farmer	Smith, Edwin A.	Mabel Villa	1851	do	Davisville	Farmer
Goulding, John	" 3, West Lot 8	1831	do	Downsview	Farmer	Snider, Jacob	Con 3, West Lot 19 & 20	1837	do	York Mills	do
Garrod, J. N.	Eglinton	1870	England	Eglinton	Manuf Worcesterhire Sauce	Stewart, Saml.	" 2, " 11	1830	do	York Mills	do
Gibson, Peter S.	Con 1, West Lot 18	1858	Canada	Willowdale	C E & P L S	Smith, Vincent	" 1, " 1	1839	United States	Yorkville	do
Goulding, Wm. Jas.	" 2, " 24	1826	do	York Mills	Farmer	Sellers, D.	Deer Park	1852	Nova Scotia	Deer Park	Gentleman
Gray, Robt. Revd.	York Mills	1873	Scotland	Newton Brook	Presby'n Minister	Shepherd, Nicholas	Eglinton	1836	England	Eglinton	Insurance Agent and Appraiser
Glew, Thos.	Con 2, East Lot 17	1847	England	Lansing	Farmer	Smith, F. J.	Yorkville	1870	France	Yorkville	General Blacksmith
Gibb, James	" 2, West " 4	1834	Canada	Yorkville	do	Sanders, Henry	Con 3 West Lot 6	1849	Canada	Fairbank	Farmer
Grain, John	" 3, " 21	1837	do	Concord	Carriage and Wagon Maker	Snider, W. S.	" 4, " 20	1849	do	Edgeley	General Merchant
Grainer, Oliver	" 3, (from bay), Yonge Street	1843	do	Yorkville	Florist and Market Gardener	Snider, Abraham	" 4, " 20	1845	do	do	Farmer
Gray, John	Brookton	1837	do	P O Box 493 Tor	Nurseymen	Smith, James	" 3, East " 4	1873	do	do	do
Gray, John	Newton Brook	1857	do	Newton Brook	Carriage Builder	Stong, Jacob	" 4, West Lot 25	1873	do	Elia	do
Gray, James	Con 3, East Lot 9	1854	do	Don	Farmer	Shepherd, John	" 2, " 18	1829	do	Yorkville	do
Holley, W. R.	Weston	1833	do	Weston	Gentleman	Thompson, John	" 3, " 5	1877	England	Fairbank	Gentleman
Humberstone, S. T.	Newton Brook	1815	do	Newton Brook	Manufacturer	Thistleton, Charles	Lansing	1871	England	Lansing	Farmer
Hodgson, W. W.	Don Mount	1872	do	Don Mount	Carpenter and County Constable	Taylor, Geo. B.	Eglinton	1869	Canada	Eglinton	Farmer
Heslop, John	Con 2 West Lot 5	1853	do	Yorkville	Farmer	Taylor, James	Fairbank	1853	do	Fairbank	Butcher and Drover
Hare, Nicholas	" 2, " 10	1873	do	Downsview	Blacksmith	Tyrrill, Wm.	Weston	1836	Ireland	Weston	Builder, Warden of York County
Henry, Thomas	Yonge Street	1832	England	Willowdale	Farmer	Townsend, Geo.	Con 3, (from bay), Lot 35	1850	England	Davenport	Brick & Tile Manufacturer
Harris, Patrick	Con 4, West Lot 6	1832	Ireland	Weston	do	Trux, Henry	" 1, East Lot 16	1875	Canada	Lansing	Gentleman
Holley, Joseph	" 5, " 8	1832	do	do	do	Taylor, T. B.	" 2, bay, East Lot 7	1875	England	Toronto	Paper Manuf.
Irwin, G. W.	Con 1, West Lot 21	1873	Canada	Newton Brook	do	Taylor, Thos. & Bro.	Lower Don Paper Mills	1845	do	do	Don Paper Mills
Irvine, James	Weston	1875	do	Weston	Blacksmith	Taylor, George	Con 3, East Lot 2	1845	do	do	do
Jones, Robert	Con 2, East Lot 4	1835	Canada	Eglinton	Farmer	Taylor, Thos.	" 3, " 1	1845	do	do	do
Johnson, James	Newton Brook	1866	England	Newton Brook	Blacksmith	Taylor, J. H. & Bro.	Upper Don Paper Mills	1877	Canada	do	Manufacturers
James Wm.	Con 2, West Lot 24	1848	Canada	do	Farmer	Wilson, Francis W.	Con 4, West Lot 8	1877	do	Weston	Farmer
Jackson, Wm. Jr.	" 3, W. Lots, 21, 22, 23	1835	do	Concord	do	Wakefield, Rich'd P.	" 3, " 1 & 2	1877	do	Davenport	do
Jackson, James	" 5, " 14	1849	do	do	do	Wellington, John	" 2, East " 6	1877	do	Eglinton	do
Jackson, Thos.	Lot 25, Con 2, West	1817	do	Weston	do	Willson, Arthur L. M. A.	Eglinton	1852	Canada	do	Clerk and Treasurer York Township
Jones, Wm.	Con 1, West Lot 8	1817	do	Newton Brook	do	Whittaker, Robert	Newton Brook	1859	England	Newton Brook	Carriage Builder
Johnston Henry	" 3, East " 22	1864	do	L'Amoureux	Gentleman	Wilson, Rodolphus	Con 1, West Lot 5	1859	Canada	Fairbank	Farmer and Thresher
Kaiser, Jesse	" 4, West " 25	1839	do	Edgeley	Farmer	Watson, Jos.	Con 2, West Lot 2	1823	do	do	Hotel Keeper
Kaiser, Jacob	" 4, " 24	1829	do	do	Farmer	Watson, Francis	Con 2, West Lot 15	1834	do	do	J P Dep Reeve and Farmer
Keightley, Geo.	York Mills	1871	do	York Mills	Farmer	Wakefield, Wm.	Carleton Village	1873	Ireland	Yorkville	Farmer
Leslie, Geo. & Sons	Leslieville	1871	do	Leslieville	Thresher and Sawyer	Warwood, Jas.	Con 3, from bay, Lot 24	1858	England	Davenport	Brick Tile and Pipe Manufacturer
					Nurseymen	Webb, Thos.	Lansing	1873	Scotland	Lansing	Hotel Keeper
						Williamson, Isaac	Con 3, from bay, Lot 24	1849	Canada	Yorkville	Farmer

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Annis, Jerry.....	Con D, Lot 16, 17, 18	1822	Canada.....	Scarboro	Farmer	Hood, Mrs Elizabeth.....	Con. 5, Lot 32.....	1831	Scotland.....	Milliken	
Annis, Mrs Jane Ann.....	" do " 16 do	1829	do	do	do	Harding, Henry.....	" 5, " 24	1853	Canada.....	do	Farmer
Annis, David.....	" C, " 16	1842	do	do	do	Harding, Elizabeth.....	do do	1833	England.....	do	do
Annis, Mrs D.....	" do do	1852	Scotland.....	do	do	Harding, Thomas.....	do do	1842	do	do	do
Annis, Levy.....	" do do	1799	United States.....	do	do	Heron, John.....	" C, 33 "	1797	Canada.....	Danforth	do
Annis, Geo A.....	" do do	1874	do	Danforth	do	Heron, Mrs John.....	do do	1804	United States.....	do	do
Armstrong, Jas.....	" D, " 33	1862	Canada.....	do	do	Jacques, Thos.....	Con 3, Lot 13	1843	do	Malvern	
Armstrong, Mrs Jas.....	" do	1875	do	Wexford	Builder & Contractor	Johnstone, Ben.....	" 4, " 25	1843	Scotland.....	Agincourt	Yeoman
Armstrong, Isaac.....	" D, " 35	1862	do	do	do	Johnstone, Jane.....	do do	1843	Canada.....	do	do
Armstrong, Mrs Isaac.....	" do do	1875	do	do	do	Little, Caroline.....	" 3, " 11	1840	England.....	Malvern	
Ashbridge Isaac.....	" B, " 26	1843	do	Scarbo's June'n	Farmer	Lucas, Wm.....	Half-Way House, Sea,	1840	England.....	Scarboro	Farmer and Hotel Keeper
Bushy, John.....	Con 3, Lot 21	1850	England.....	Malvern	do	Law, Thos.....	Con 2, Lot 14	1829	do	Malvern	Farmer
Brown, Robt.....	" B, " 30	1874	Canada.....	Danforth	Manuf & Farmer	Law, John.....	do do	1835	do	do	do
Brown, Mrs Annie.....	do do	1874	do	do	do	Lawrie, Jas.....	" 3, " 12	1835	Scotland.....	do	Sawyer, & Importer of Stock
Boston, Frank.....	Ben Lamond	1871	England.....	Norway	Merchant	Ley, Jas.....	Ellesmere	1851	England.....	Ellesmere	Blacksmith
Crawford, John.....	Con 4, Lot 14	1840	Scotland.....	Malvern	Farmer, Clerk & Treasurer	McLevin, Jno.....	Con 3, Lot 19	1870	Canada.....	Malvern	Farmer
Crawford, Wm.....	" 4, " 14	1840	do	do	Farmer and Stock-breeder	McCowan, W P.....	" 4, " 13	1833	Scotland.....	do	do
Collins John.....	Highland Creek	1853	England.....	High'nd Creek	Blacksmith	McCowan, Jas W.....	" C, " 33	1833	do	Danforth	do
Collins, Elizabeth.....	do do	1854	do	do	do	McDonald, Hugh.....	" 4, " 14	1857	Ireland.....	do	do
Closson, Stephen.....	Con 1, Lot 5	1834	United States.....	do	Farmer	Morgan, John.....	" 3, " 31	1838	England.....	L'Amaroux	do
Closson, Mrs S.....	" 1, " 5	1823	do	do	Hotel Keeper	Mason, Henry.....	" 4, " 32	1838	England.....	do	do
Chapman, John W.....	" 2, " 4	1827	England.....	do	do	Mason, Alfred.....	" 4, " 33	1838	Canada.....	do	do
Chapman, Mrs Marian.....	" 2, " 4	1856	do	Agincourt	Retired Yeoman	Macklin, James.....	" 4, " 26	1838	do	Milliken	Farmer and Sawmiller
Clark, Wm.....	" 4, " 30	1838	Scotland.....	Woburn	Builder & Contractor	Milne, W A.....	" 4, " 32	1820	Ireland.....	L'Amaroux	Farmer
Collins, David.....	Woburn	1864	Canada.....	do	Farmer	Morgan, Geo.....	" 3, " 28	1820	do	Agincourt	do
Collins, Ralph.....	do	1864	do	do	do	Macklin, Marshall.....	" 4, " 21	1828	Canada.....	Scarboro	do
Collins, Mary.....	do	1831	England.....	Malvern	do	Muir, Alex.....	" C, " 24	1871	Canada.....	do	Yeoman
Craig, Mary.....	Con 3, Lot 9	1832	Scotland.....	do	do	Muir, Archibald.....	" do " 5	1836	Scotland.....	do	Farmer & Store Keeper
Davidson, Thos.....	" 4, " 15	1865	Canada.....	Cedar Grove	do	Moorish, Jno.....	" do " 5	1832	England.....	Highland Creek	do
Diller, John.....	" 4, " 3 & 4	1862	United States.....	do	do	Moorish Ann.....	" do " 5	1832	do	do	do
Duncan, James.....	" 3, " 22	1830	Scotland.....	Agincourt	do	Marshall, David.....	" 2, " 32	1843	Scotland.....	Ellesmere	Farmer
Duncan, Mrs James.....	" 3, " 24	1834	Canada.....	do	do	Mitchell, W J.....	" 5, " 22	1842	Ireland.....	Armadale	Magistrate & Commssioner of Q B
Davidson, Wm.....	" 1, " 2	1834	Scotland.....	Port Union	do and Railway Contractor	Mitchell, Mrs S J.....	do do	1848	do	do	do
Davidson, Mrs W.....	do	1834	do	do	do	Nolan, Wm.....	Milton, Halton County	1861	Canada.....	Milton	Merchant Tailor
Dixon, Robert.....	" 1, " 2	1854	England.....	do	do	Purdie, Wm Jr.....	Con 2, Lot 18	1843	do	Malvern	Farmer
Dixon, Mrs R.....	do	1854	Scotland.....	do	do	Purdie, Wm Sr.....	do do	1832	Scotland.....	do	Farmer
Elliot John.....	Highland Creek	1867	England.....	Highland Creek	Merchant	Pollock, D J, M D.....	" 2, " 24	1861	Canada.....	Agincourt	Physician
Fleming, Andrew J.....	Con 3, Lot 10	1876	Canada.....	Malvern	Farmer	Paterson, Jas G.....	" 3, " 28	do	do	Farmer
Fleming, Elizabeth.....	do do	1839	Ireland.....	do	do	Richardson, S R, M D.....	" 2, " 19	1843	Scotland.....	Woburn	Physician
Fleming, Andrew.....	" 3, " 9	1852	Scotland.....	do	do	Russel, James.....	" 2, " 10	1843	Scotland.....	Malvern	Farmer
Fleming, Mary.....	" 3, " 9	1852	do	do	do	Ross, John.....	" 2, " 17	do	do	do
Fleming, James.....	Malvern	1852	Canada.....	do	Undertaker	Reesor, Susannah.....	" 4, " 3	1862	Canada.....	Cedar Grove	do
Fleming, Mary.....	do	1852	do	do	do	Stephenson, Donald G.....	Scarboro Junction	1873	do	do	Scarbo's June'n
Green, Robert.....	Con 1, Lot 21	1876	do	Woburn	Farmer	Sewell, John.....	Con 4, Lot 9	1851	do	do	Cedar Grove
Gosline, Peter.....	" 1, " 35	1849	United States.....	Port Union	General Jobber	Scott, John.....	" 2, " 23	1861	do	Agincourt	do
Humphrey Wm.....	Pickering Tp.	1824	Ireland.....	Highland Creek	Farmer	Scott, Frank.....	do do	1865	do	do	do
Huntington, Amos.....	" 2, " 12	1835	Canada.....	Malvern	do	Sheppard, G H.....	" 3, " 34	1864	do	L'Amaroux	do
Hamilton, James.....	" 3, " 25	1830	Scotland.....	Agincourt	do	Sheppard, Elizabeth.....	do do	1864	do	do	do
Hamilton, Mrs Isabella.....	" 3, " 25	1834	Canada.....	do	do	Scott, Margaret.....	" 3, " 10	1843	Scotland.....	Malvern	do
Hamilton, Robert.....	" 3, " 25	1830	Scotland.....	do	do						
Hood, Wm.....	" 5, " 32	1851	do	Milliken	do						

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Thompson, Mrs.	Malvern			Malvern		Wilson, John	Con 1, Lot 11	1832	England	Highland Creek	Farmer and Saw Miller
Thompson, Smith	Con 3, Lot 18			do	Farmer	Wilson, Catharine	do	1832	Scotland	do	
Thompson, Richd Jr.	" 2 " 19			do	do	Walton, Guy	" 2 " 24	1864	Canada	Agincourt	Farmer
Telfer, Wm.	" 3 " 16	1831	do	do	do	Walton, Mrs. Guy	do	1864	do	do	
Tredway, W.	" 2 " 16	1860	England	Highland Creek	Merchant	Walton, John	" 2 " 23	1813	England	Wexford	do
Thornbeck, John	" 2 " 11	1855	Canada	Malvern	Proprietor	Weir, Martha	" C " 13	1833	Scotland	Danforth	do
Tingle, John	Wexford	1865	do	Wexford	Genl Merchant	Wallace, Margaret	" 4 " 14	1845	do	Malvern	
Tingle, Mrs John	do		do	do							

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Atkinson, W.	Richmond House	1864	Canada	Richmond Hill	Merchant	Levitt, W.	Con 3, Lot	1850	Canada	Concord	Farmer
Abell, John	Woodbridge	1849	England	Woodbridge	Agricultural Implement Manufr	McNaughton, Rev. P.	" 4 " 22	1833	Scotland	Maple	Minister
Adams, James	Con 7, Lot 26	1832	Ireland	Purpleville	Farmer	McFayden, John	Maple	1853	do	do	Hotel Keeper
Brown, John	Woodbridge	1841	Canada	Woodbridge	Manufacturer	McIntosh, J. & Sons	Woodbridge	1875	Canada	Woodbridge	Woollen Manufrs
Boyle, David	Con 1, Lot 45	1842	Scotland	Richmond Hill	Farmer & Lumber Merchant	McCutcheon, David	Con 3, Lot 35	1832	Ireland	Nobleton	Farmer
Brillinger, Benj.	" 13 " 2		Born in York County	Concord	do	McCutcheon, H.	Richmond Hill	1832	Canada	Richmond Hill	Inspector Weights & Measures
Burkholder, Aaron	" 4 " 14	1876	Canada	Maple	do	McQuarrie, J. C.	Con 4, Lot 20	1831	Scotland	Maple	J P Gentleman
Bell, Robt.	Peel County		do	Richview	do	Martin, Jesse	Patterson	1850	England	Patterson	Civil Engineer
Bunt, John F.	Con 6, Lot 13		do	Woodbridge	Agricultural & Implement Works	Mainprize, Geo.	Con 8, Lot 9	1853	do	Woodbridge	Farmer
Brown & Muir	Woodbridge		do	do		Mann, James	Woodbridge	1875	do	do	Printer & Publisher
Cook, Thos. Jr.	Con 2, Lot 16	1870	do	Carrville	Miller	Mackie & Watt	do	1876	do	do	General Merchants
Cook, Wm.	" 2 " 17	1831	England	do	Gentleman	Mackay, T. A. M. D.	Clairville	1845	Scotland	Humber	Physician
Chaffer, W. D.	Woodbridge	1852	do	Woodbridge	Hotel Keeper	Miller, Henry	Richmond Hill	1874	Canada	Richmond Hill	Pump Manufacturer
Creighton, Rob't	Con 10, " 19	1849	Scotland	Colestaine	Farmer	Noble, Arthur	Con 4, Lot 23		do	Maple	Farmer
Carr, Mathew	" 1 " 33	1856	England	Thornhill	do	Orr, James	" 9 " 29	1875	do	Klineburg	Farmer
Cowan, Arthur	" 3 " 11	1839	Ireland	Newton Brook	do	Phillips, R.	Richmond Hill	1846	do	Richmond Hill	Pump Manufr
Chapman, Isaac	" 1 " 28	1850	Canada	Thornhill	do	Proctor, Simon	do	1870	do	do	Hotel Keeper, Dom. Hotel, Stage
Deadman, John	" 2 " 17		do	Carrville	do	Porter, Thompson	Con 9, Lot 3	1864	do	Humber	Farmer
Dick, Rob't	" 6 " 4 Peel Tp " 10 " 31, 32, 33 " 8 " 11 Alb'n Tp (Grist Mill on Lot 10)	1852	Canada	Tornmore	Farmer & Saw Miller	Rowntree, Geo.	Woodbridge	1842	do	Woodbridge	Butcher & Propr Com Temp'e House
Farr, Wm. Jr.	Con 6, Lot 4		do	Woodbridge	Farmer	Rumble, Robt.	Con 4, Lot 21	1865	England	Maple	Hotel Keeper
Falconbridge, T K	Richmond Hill	1839	Ireland	Richmond Hill	Merchant	Rupert, Oliver M. D.	" 4 " 21	1862	Canada	do	Physician
Fairbairn, D. P.	do	1870	Canada	do	Printer	Royston, John	" 5 " 22		do	do	Postmaster & Express Agt
Graham, Joseph	Con 2, Lot 19	1869	do	Patterson	Farmer	Reaman, Joel	Woodbridge	1841	do	Woodbridge	Furniture Dealer, Undertaker and
Graham, William	" 3 " 20		do	do	do	Robinson, J. S.	do	1876	Scotland	do	Wagon Maker
Gaby, Joseph	" 1 " 50	1876	England	Richmond Hill	Blacksmith	Sanderson, H. & Sons	Richmond Hill	1830	England	Richmond Hill	Vet'ry Surgeon and Druggists
Gilmour, Gilbert	Woodbridge		Scotland	Woodbridge	Hotel keeper	Shaw, John	Woodbridge	1870	Canada	Woodbridge	Watchmaker and Jeweler
Gobeil, George	Klineburg	1865	United States	Klineburg	do	Snell, S. J.	do	1874	do	do	Druggist
Gould, James	Woodbridge	1846	Ireland	Woodbridge	Bricklayer	Stevenson, Jas. D., M. D.	Klineburg	1857	Ireland	Klineburg	Physician
Hollingshead, Ely F.	Con 5, Lot 6	1857	Canada	Laskay	Licensed Pedler	Schlager, Christian	do	1874	Germany	do	Dry-goods and Groceries.
Hugill, John	" 7 " 10		do	Woodbridge	do	Smith, Wm.	Con 6, Lot 5		do	Woodbridge	do
Hall, Samuel	" 3 " 8	1854	England	Concord	Farmer	Smith, Jacob	" 3 " 20	1817	Canada	Maple	Gentleman
Hemphill, Wm.	" 9 " 33	1841	Ireland	Klineburg	do	Stong, J. E.	" 5 " 10	1846	do	Yorville	do
Hallett, John	Woodbridge	1871	England	Woodbridge	Tinsmith	Thompson, John	Sand Hill		do	Sand Hill	do
Keefe, Wm.	Con 3, Lot 9	1831	Canada	Concord	Yeoman	Thompson, C. G.	Con 3, Lot 5		do	Concord	do
Keller, M. H.	Richmond Hill	1857	do	Richmond Hill	P inter & Publisher	Wallace, Wm. A.	" 8 " 2	1848	do	Humber	Farmer
Kurtz, James	Con 9, Lot 28	1858	do	Klineburg	Farmer	Witherspoon, David	" 6 " 12	1837	Scotland	Pine Grove	do
Kedwell, James	Woodbridge	1871	England	Woodbridge	Farmer	Wilkinson, J. M D.	Woodbridge	1870	Canada	Woodbridge	Physician and Surgeon
Kemp, C.S.	Klineburg	1866	do	Klineburg	Miller	Watson, Thomas	Con 4, Lot 32	1831	England	Maple	Farmer
Keys & Hallett	Woodbridge	1871	do and Ireland	Woodbridge	Tinsmiths	Wilson, Robert	" 5 " 23	1861	Canada	Teston	do
Keys, Henry	do	1871	Ireland	do	do	Wallace, Bros.	Woodbridge	1857	do	Woodbridge	General Merchants
Langstaff, James M. D.	Richmond Hill	1849	Canada	Richmond Hill	Physician & Surgeon	Zielinskie, Jacob	Klineburg	1866	Poland	Klineburg	Druggist
Lund, Wm.	Con 1, Lot 41	1849	England	Carrville	Farmer						
Lahmer, John	" 3 " 15	1854	Canada	do	do						

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Armstrong, Wm.	Con 10, Lot 10.	1865	Canada	Belford	Farmer	McLean, Allan P.	Con 7, Lot 2	1832	Ireland	Armadale	Farmer
Armstrong, R. G.	" 8, Lots 9 & 10.	1853	do	Markham	Farmer and Stock Breeder	Morgan, John	" 1, " 28	1849	Canada	Thornhill	Farmer
Armstrong, F. R.	Markham.	1849	Novia Scotia.	do	Physician and Surgeon	Miller, Henry	" 1, " 34	1799	do	do	Farmer
Button, John	Con 4, Lot 15.	1840	Canada	Buttonville	Farmer	Mairs, Alex	Markham	1857	do	Markham	Barrister & Solicitor
Boyd, James	" 10, " 5.	1831	Ireland	Belford	Farmer	Milroy, John	Con 10, Lot 1.	1858	do	Cedar Grove	Farmer
Byer, Jonas	Con 9, Lot 33.	1868	Canada	Stouffville	Farmer and Saw Miller	Miller, John	" 10, " 19.	1867	do	Mongolia	Farmer
Button, Col. Wm M.	" 10, East Lot 11.	1816	do	Belford	Gentleman	Mortson, Thos	" 1, " 50.	1860	do	Oak Ridges	Farmer
Bowman, John	" 5, West " 31.	1853	do	Almira	Farmer & Miller	Pike, John.	" 10, West Lot 13.	1857	do	Markham	Farmer
Button, Newbury	" 7, Lot 35.	1825	do	Ringwood	Farmer	Percy, Rev. W.	Stouffville.	1876	do	Stouffville	Christian Minister
Bruce, W & R.	" 5, West Lot 34.	1842	Scotland	Gormley	Farmers and Millers	Quanty, Daniel	Con 2, Lot 13.	1844	do	Buttonville	Farmer
Brillinger, S.	Markham.	1841	Canada	Markham	Silversmith and Jeweller	Reid, John, M. D.	Thornhill	1843	Ireland	Thornhill	Physician
Boyd, Wm.	Belford	1870	do	Belford	General Merchant	Robinson, Geo	Unionville	1871	Canada	Unionville	Mechanic
Carr, Thos.	Thornhill.	1856	England.	Thornhill	Druggist and J P	Reesor, Jesse G, J P	Stouffville	1873	do	Stouffville	Miller and Grain Dealer
Calder, Geo.	do			do	do	Ratcliff, Wm	Con 6, Lot 35.	1846	England.	Ringwood	Farmer (Retired)
Crosby, H. P. J. P.	Con 5, Lot 13.		Canada	Unionville	Farmer & Miller	Raymer, Simon P.	" 8, " 14.		do	Markham	Farmer
Clarry, Fred A.	Markham.	1856	do	Markham	Dealer in Pianos & Music	Reesor, Samuel.	" 9, " 3 & 5.	1840	Canada	Cedar Grove	Farmer & Miller
Clarry, F. A & W. W.	do	1877	do	do	Piano Importers, &c	Raymer, Abraham.	" 8, " 3.	1840	do	Boxgrove	Mennonite Minister
Duncan, John	Con 1, Lot 40.	1841	do	Richmond Hill	Farmer	Reesor, J. S.	Markham.	1820	do	do	Farmer and Cancer Doctor
Echardt Edward	" 6, " 10.	1870	Canada	Unionville	Farmer	Raymer, Joseph	Con 7, East Lot 4.	1860	do	Markham	Min. United Mennonite Denomi'on
Eakin Wm.	" 6, " 12.	1871	do	do	Manufacturer	Robinson, James	" 7, " 12.	1857	do	do	Farmer
Flint, Matthew H.	" 9, " 34.	1855	England.	Stouffville	Carpenter	Reesor, Christian	" 10, West " 14.	1818	do	do	Farmer
Fisher, Charles.	Ringwood.	1857	Bavaria.	Ringwood	Proprietor Revere House	Reesor, David Jr.	" 9, Lot 7.	1870	Silver Sp'g Farm	do	Gentleman, Farmer & Genl Specu'r
Gibson, John	Con 4, East Lot 1.	1833	Scotland.	Milliken	Farmer	Rolph, Wm. Jr	" 9, " 10.	1870	Canada	do	Br. short-horn cattle & Cots'd sheep
Hall, W. H.	Markham	1852	Canada	Markham	Prop Franklin House	Reesor, Ben F	Cedar Grove	1870	do	Cedar Grove	Flour & Saw Miller, 1st Dep Reeve
Jennings Henry	Con 4 West Lot 22 & 24	1837	England	Victoria Sq.	Farmer	Robinson, Wesley	Markham		do	Physician	
Keith, James.	Markham	1864	Scotland	Newton Brook	Miller and Grain buyer	Robinson, Joseph B.	Unionville	1871	do	Unionville	Carpenter
Kidd, Wm.	Unionville.	1864	Ireland	Unionville	Livery Stable keeper, & Fish dealer	Slater, Jonathan	Con 3, Lot 8 & 9.	1854	Canada	Buttonville	Farmer
Langstaff, John	Con 1, Lot 36.	1840	Canada	Langstaff	Farmer & Manufr	Speight, T & Sons	Markham	1830	England.	Markham	Wagon Makers
Lane, Jno, M. P.	Thornhill	1833	Ireland	Thornhill	Gentleman	Sherick, Daniel	Con 4, Lot 34.	1863	Canada	Gormley	Farmer
Lapp, Joseph	Con 10, Lot 2.	1847	Canada	Cedar Grove	Farmer	Saunders, W. B.	Stouffville	1860	England.	Stouffville	Gen'l Store keeper
Langstaff, James	" 1, " 60.		do	Richmond Hill	Physician and Surgeon	Simons, R. R.	Markham	1858	Canada	Markham	Student
McCague	" 3, " 28.	1848	Canada	do	Farmer	Toole, Aaron	Con 5, Lot 25.	1830	do	Cashel	Farmer
Mc Dougall D.	Thornhill.	1850	Scotland.	Thornhill	Merchant and Miller	Taylor, Jno C.	Markham.	1876	do	Markham	Gen'l Merchant
Mc Connell, John.	do	1839	Canada	do	Bachelor of Medicine and Coroner	Willmot, Joseph E.	Con 3, Lot 13.		Canada	Buttonville	Farmer
McPherson, Alex.	Con 5, Lot 2.	1830	Novia Scotia.	Milliken	Farmer	Williamson, Thos.	" 6, " 28.	1868	do	Cashel	Farmer and School Teacher
						White, B. F.	" 10, " 7.	1830	do	Belford	Miller
						Yake, Calvin	Stouffville.	1843	do	Stouffville	Hotel Keeper

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Armitage, J. W.	Newmarket.	1852	Canada	Newmarket	Carpenter	Knight, Thos.	Sharon	1876	United States	do	Carriage Manufr
Alyward, J. H.	Con 2, Lot 20.	1853	do	Queensville	Post Master	Kitching, Fredk. J.	Holland Landing.	1868	England	H. Landing	Genl Merchant
ag, James.	" 4, " 31.	1852	England	Ravenshoe	Farmer	Lewis, Thos.	Con 2, Lot 34	1867	Canada	Queensville	Farmer
Collins, John H.	Holt.	1878	England	Holt	Farmer	Long, Robinson.	" 3, " 19	1856	do	do	do
Curry John.	Con 3, Lot 5	1840	do	Newmarket	do	Lepard, D. L.	" 3, " 7	1872	do	Sharon	do
Crann Peter.	" 3, " 17	1857	Scotland	Queensville	do	Lloyd, Owen.	Holland Landing.	1856	Canada	H. Landing	Mason & Plasterer
Cowieson, John.	" 3, " 23	1857	do	do	do	McCarthy, J. C.	" 3, " 2 & 4	1869	do	Newmarket	Farmer
Degeer, Peter.	" 3, " 20	1850	Canada	do	do	MacPherson, Joseph A.	Queensville	1878	do	Queensville	Principal Queensville Public school
Doan, Abraham.	" 3, " 14	1835	United States	Sharon	do	Morrison, B. F.	Con 2, Lot 1 & 2	1854	United States	Newmarket	Farmer
Elmer, W. J.	" 5, " 8	1876	Canada	do	Farmer	Moore, John.	" 2, " 22	1845	Canada	Queensville	do
Evans, Geo.	" 4, " 3	1872	do	Newmarket	do	Morton, D'Arcy.	Queensville	1852	do	do	do
Evans, David.	" 3, " 25	1848	do	Queensville	do	Parnham, James.	Con 1, Lot 105, 106	1832	England	H. Landing	do
Evans, Geo C.	Queensville.	1851	Canada	Queensville	Carriage Manfr	Pegg, Joseph.	Mt Albert.	1853	Canada	Mt Albert	Hotel keeper
Foster, Geo.	" 3, " 16	1856	do	Sharon	do	Pearson, B. F.	Queensville.	1867	do	Queensville	Physician
Forest, R. W. M. D.	" 7, " 10	1863	Scotland	Mt Albert	Physician	Rowland, William.	do	1858	Canada	do	Carpenter
Flanagan, Peter.	Queensville	1860	Canada	Queensville	Hotel keeper	Rowen, Richard.	Con 7, Lot 10	1862	do	do	Farmer
Fidell, Robt.	do	1876	do	do	Carriage Manufr	Rogers, Levi.	" 1, " 96	1836	do	Holt	do
Fairwell, G. M. M. D.	do	1877	do	do	Physician	Rowan, Wm.	Sharon	1856	do	Newmarket	Carriage Maker
Flanagan, Thos.	Queensville	1851	do	do	Propr Queen's Hotel	Reid, Wilson.	Con 3, Lot 11	1850	do	do	Farmer
Graham, Allen.	Con 8, Lot 1 & 2.	1842	England	Hartman	Farmer	Robinson, Wm.	Holland Landing.	1855	England	H. Landing	Central Hotel keeper
Gould, A. L.	" 8, " 12	1864	Canada	Mt Albert	Lumber Dealer & Saw miller	Robinson, R. W.	do	1855	do	do	Manufr Brass Musical Instruments
Howard, Brooks.	" 2, " 4	1840	do	Newmarket	Farmer	Selby, Wm.	Sharon	1833	Canada	Sharon	Gentleman
Howard, Stephen.	" 1, " 101	1848	do	do	do	Summerfelt, W. H.	Con 8, Lot 12	1856	do	Mt Albert	Miller
Holborn, Geo.	" 3, " 25	1860	do	Queensville	do	Soules, Peter.	" 3, " 29	1854	do	Queensville	Farmer
Hughes, A. J.	" 3, " 11	1865	do	Sharon	do	Soules Silas.	Queensville.	1854	do	do	Merchant
Holborn, John.	" 3, " 34	1857	do	Ravenshoe	do	Travis, Stephen.	Con 4, Lot 19.	1840	do	do	Farmer
Hill, Wm.	Queensville	1851	do	Queensville	Butcher	Thorne, Wm.	Holland Landing.	1844	do	H. Landing	Merchant
Irving, Edwd H.	Con 1, Lot 98	1842	Canada	Newmarket	Farmer	Wright, Silas.	Con 1, Lot 109	1833	England	do	Farmer
Irving, Emelius.	Hamilton	1842	England	Hamilton	Barrister, and M P for Hamilton	Wright, Jno W.	" 2, " 23	1840	do	Queensville	do
Knight, Wm.	Con 3, Lot 8.	1842	do	Sharon	Farmer	Wagg, Jno.	" 3, " 6	1838	do	Mt Albert	do
						Wayling, James.	" 3, " 8	1862	Canada	Sharon	do

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Anderson, Jas & R.	Sutton.	1874	Canada	Georgina	Millers	McDonald, Donald.	Con 8, Lot 11.	1831	Canada	Virginia	Farmer
Barnard, Wm.	do	1870	do	do	do	McDonald, John.	Sutton	1846	Scotland	Georgina	Hotel Keeper
Badger, Abram	Con 6, Lot 8	1870	Canada	do	Apiarian	Mitchell, Barbara.	do	1858	do	do	Dress & Mantle Maker
Boyd, John.	" 5, " 19	1843	Ireland	do	Farmer	Nicol, Robert.	Sutton	1855	do	do	Tailor
Bateman, G. A. & Co	Sutton	1877	Canada	do	Merchants	Paget, C. B.	Con 7, Lot 9.	1874	England	do	Gentleman
Brooks, William	do	1862	England	do	Boot and Shoe Maker	Ramsay, William.	Sutton.	1862	Scotland	do	Builder & Contractor
Baker, Michael.	Con 1, Lot 25	1843	Ireland	Vallentine	Farmer and Deputy Reeve	Sheppard Joseph.	Sutton.	1851	Ireland	do	Hotel Keeper
Cockburn, Jos.	Con 5, Lot 8.	1854	Scotland	Vachell	Farmer	Sibbald, Wm.	Con 8, Lot 6.	1834	Scotland	do	Farmer
Cole, W. P.	Sutton.	1861	United States	Georgina	Stoves & Tinware	Simmons, Peter.	Sutton.	1831	Canada	do	Carpenter
Cadieux, Cyrelle.	do	1841	Canada	do	Cooper	Treymane, F. G.	Sutton	1876	do	do	Druggist
Donnell, Thos.	Con 6, Lot 14.	1836	Ireland	Virginia	Farmer	Tomlinson, Wm.	Con 3, Lot 1.	1832	England	Baldwin	Farmer
Fry, Wm.	Sutton.	1836	England	Georgina	Farmer	Thompson, John	" 3, " 1.	1870	Canada	Baldwin	Miller and Grain Merchant
Graham, John C.	Pefferlaw.	1853	Canada	Pefferlaw	Farmer	White & Rogers.	Sutton	1870	do	do	do
Hall, R. G.	Con 4, Lot 8.	1853	England	Vachell	Farmer	Wright, Thos.	Pefferlaw	1870	do	Pefferlaw	Hotel Keeper
Horan Patrick.	Sutton	1853	Ireland	Georgina	Hotel Keeper	Williams, Alex.	Sutton	1870	do	Georgina	do
Lyall, Jno.	Con 7, Lot 7.	1853	Canada	Georgina	Farmer						

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Draper, Henry.	Keswick	1818	Canada	Keswick	Township Clerk, Conveyancer & General Blacksmith	Van Norman, R. M.	Keswick.	1876	Canada	Keswick,	P. M. and Merchant
Draper, Nelson	do	1853	do	Keswick	do	Purdy, John.	Con 3, " 12	1832	do	do	Farmer
Graham, David.	Con 7, Lot 20.	1827	do	Georgina	Conveyancer	Sennett, Thos.	" 5, " 17	1832	Ireland	Belhaven	Farmer
Morton, John Jr.	" 5, " 19.	1842	Canada	Belhaven	Farmer	Sheppard, Joseph A.	Belhaven.	1854	Canada	do	Farmer
Morton, John Sr.	" 5, " 18.	1824	United States	do	Retired Farmer and J P	Travis, Chas.	Lake Con, Lot 8	1840	Canada	Belhaven	Farmer and Councillor
Mackay, Angus.	" 2, " 18.	1877	Scotland	Keswick	Farmer						
Miller, Levi.	Roach's Point.	1856	United States	Roach's Point	do						

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Armstrong, Thos.	Con 6, Lot 10.	1832	Ireland	Bradford	Farmer	McAfee, Robt.	" 11, " 17	1832	Ireland	Deer Hunt	Farmer
Armstrong, Thos.	Bradford.	1832	Scotland	do	Blacksmith	Nelson, T. A.	Bond Head	1832	do	Bond Head	Manufr Agricultural Implements
Broughton, H. S.	do	1863	England	do	Post Master	Robinson, Gilbert.	Con 8, Lot 15.	1829	do	Bradford	Farmer & J P
Burnham, James.	do	1868	Canada	do	Engineer	Robinson, Wm.	" 8, " 15.	1837	Canada	do	Farmer
Dewson, Thos.	do	1837	do	do	Bank Manager	Scanlon, Mark.	Bradford	1837	do	do	Barrister
Fennel Joseph.	Con 10, Lot 17 & 18.	1832	Ireland	do	Farmer	Stoddard, R.	Con 7, Lot 9 & 10.	1819	Ireland	do	Farmer
Faris, Wm.	" 5, " 12	1824	Canada	do	Farmer	Stoddard, Jno E.	" 2, " 8 & 9.	1820	Canada	do	do
Jeffs, Edwd.	" 6, " 3.	1818	Canada	Bond Head	Farmer & J P	Sutherland, T. G.	" 2, " 6.	1820	Ireland	do	Gentleman
Johnstone, Wm.	" 9, " 16.	1818	do	Bradford	Farmer	Stoddard, Wm D.	" 6, " 11 & 12.	1851	Canada	do	Farmer
Law, W. D. C.	Bond Head	1870	Canada	Bond Head	Physician	Tyrwhitt, R.	" 7, " 11.	1851	do	do	Gentleman
Morton, G. D.	Bradford	1870	Ireland	Bradford	Physician	Wardman, Jos.	" 7, " 12.	1870	do	do	Farmer
McDermott, Jas.	Con 6, Lot 11.	1870	Canada	Bond Head	Hotel keeper	Wardman, Thos.	" 7, " 12.	1870	do	do	Farmer
						Wilson, Jno W. H.	Bradford	1870	do	do	Barrister

TOWNSHIP OF KING.

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Andrews, James.	Aurora.	1863	Canada.	Aurora	Minister	Lloyd, A.	Lloydtown.	1840	Canada.	Lloydtown	Farmer
Adams, Jas. Revd.	Con 9, Lot 6.	1863	Canada.	Nobleton	Farmer	Leatherland, Saml.	Schomberg.	1867	England.	Schomberg	Furniture Dealer & Undertaker
Armstrong, Stephen.	" 10, " 32.	1836	Ireland.	Schomberg	Conveyancer & Clerk Div. Court	McKay, Donald.	Con 2, Lot 71.	1846	Scotland.	Aurora	Teacher
Armstrong, Maj. Arthur.	Schomberg.	1840	Canada.	Lloydtown	Undertaker & Furniture Manuf.	McClure, Andrew.	" 1, " 9.	1834	Ireland.	Temp'neville	Farmer
Atkinson, J. P.	do.	1849	do.	do.	Pump Manufacturer	McCallum, Malcolm.	" 4, " 9.	1876	Canada.	King	do
Brereton, W. J.	Con 1, Lot 86.	1871	Canada.	Schomberg	Physician & Surgeon	McMurchy, Dugald.	" 7, " 7 & 13.	1840	Scotland.	Kings' Creek	do
Bugs, James.	" 2, " 32.	1860	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer	Munns, Wm.	" 2, " 26 & 27.	1860	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer
Brodie, Chas. T.	" 11, " 4.	1860	Canada.	Newmarket	do	Magill, Wm.	Schomberg.	1854	do.	Schomberg	Physician & Surgeon
Bogart, Martin J.	" 5, " 104.	1860	Canada.	Kettleby	do	Merrison, Jas. G.	do.	1872	England.	do.	Miller
Barwick, John.	" 4, " 5 & 6.	1834	Scotland.	Holland Land'g	do	McKee, Robt.	Con 11, " 24.	1839	Canada.	Lloydtown	Farmer
Burns, W. H.	Kinghorn.	1872	Canada.	King	Vet. Surgeon	Nicol, Peter.	Con 2, Lot 87.	1873	United States.	Aurora	Miller
Beasley, Walter.	Con 10, Lot 4.	1856	Canada.	Nobleton	Farmer	Nash, Eugene.	King Creek.	1875	Canada.	Newmarket	Merchant
Bowman, James.	" 8, " 8.	1869	do.	do.	do & J P	Nunn, Jesse.	do.	1875	Canada.	King Creek	do
Beasley, John.	" 2, " 29.	1851	England.	Schomberg	do	Phillips, J. H.	Con 1, Lot 88.	1832	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer
Brown, Wm.	Lloydtown.	1875	Canada.	Lloydtown	Physician	Phillips, O. S.	" 1, " 100.	1832	Canada.	Newmarket	do
Byers, J. N. M.D.	do.	1875	Canada.	Lloydtown	Physician	Phillips, Asa.	" 1, " 78 (part of).	1832	Canada.	do	do
Cosford, Thos. W.	Con 1, Lot 85.	1843	England.	Aurora	Farmer	Pearson, Benj.	" 7, " 28.	1831	Ireland.	Pottageville	Farmer
Curtis, John.	" 4, " 33.	1842	do.	Kettleby	do	Proctor, John.	" 8, " 9.	1864	Canada.	Linton	do
Curtis, Wm.	" 7, " 2.	1831	Scotland.	King Creek	do	Perry, Wm.	" 8, " 22.	1831	Ireland.	Schomberg	do
Campbell, Archd.	" 5, " 21.	1842	Canada.	Kettleby	do	Perry, John.	" 8, " 33.	1871	Canada.	do	do
Conover, Lydia A.	" 10, " 10.	1842	Canada.	Nobleton	do	Pearson, James.	" 9, " 32.	1840	do.	do	do
Cherry, James.	" 10, " 13.	1822	Scotland.	do	do	Phillips, Joel, J. P.	" 9, " 34.	1866	Ireland.	Kettleby	Gentleman
Cairns, John.	do.	1822	Scotland.	do	do	Proctor, Wm. J. P.	" 9, " 31.	1877	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer
Doan, Seneca.	" 1, " 92.	1859	Canada.	Newmarket	do	Proctor, W. H.	Aurora.	1877	do.	Aurora	Undertaker & Furniture Manuf.
Dickson, Alex.	Holland Landing.	1849	Canada.	Holland Ldg	Farmer	Phillips, S. E.	do.	1877	do.	Aurora	do
Davis, Calvin.	Con 4, Lot 34.	1849	Canada.	Kettleby	do	Riddle, James.	Con 8, " 18.	1850	Canada.	Linton	Insurance Agent
Davis, Andrew & Son.	" 5, " 33.	1839	do.	King	do	Robinson, James.	" 9, " 5.	1850	Canada.	Nobleton	Farmer
Davis, Jesse Milton.	Lloydtown.	1816	do.	Lloydtown	Church Eng. Minister	Rogers, Augustus.	" 1, " 93.	1835	England.	Newmarket	do
Dundas, C. B. A.	Con 9, Lot 35.	1816	do.	Schomberg	Farmer, Miller & Grain Merchant	Rogers, Jonathan.	" 5, " 32.	1835	England.	Kettleby	do
Dennis, Levi.	do.	1816	do.	Schomberg	Farmer	Ramsden, Thos.	" 1, " 95.	1840	Canada.	Newmarket	do
Elliott, John.	Con 5, " 28.	1859	Canada.	Nobleton	Farmer	Rogers, John.	" 2, " 14.	1873	do.	King	Agricultural Impl's
Fraser, Alex.	" 7, " 22.	1859	Canada.	Linton	do	Ross & Bro.	Springhill.	1873	do.	do	General Merchant and Auctioneer
Fox, Wm. E.	" 6, " 33.	1869	England.	Kettleby	do	Stokes, James C.	do.	1838	do.	do	do
Ferguson, Thos.	" 3, " 12 & 13.	1849	Canada.	Linton	do	Stevens, Alfred.	Con 1, Lot 88.	1823	United States.	Newmarket	Farmer
Fleury, J.	Aurora.	1849	Germany.	Aurora	Agricultural Implement Manuf.	Stephenson, Major.	" 4, " 33.	1851	England.	Kettleby	do
Foucar, J. P.	Schomberg.	1849	Germany.	Schomberg	Manuf. Tin, Copper & Iron Goods	Story, John.	" 4, " 21.	1831	Scotland.	Temp'neville	do
Guinan, Chas.	Con 1, Lot 108.	1842	Scotland.	Holland Ldg	Farmer	Steward James.	" 5, " 2.	1858	Canada.	Laskay	do
Gillies, John.	" 3, " 5.	1842	Scotland.	King	do	Stokes, Wm.	" 7, " 4.	1868	do.	King Creek	Miller
Graham, Donald.	" 8, " 21.	1803	Canada.	Linton	Gentleman	Snider, Chas.	" 8, " 4.	1849	do.	Nobleton	Farmer
Gamble, John.	" 1, " 80.	1803	Canada.	Aurora	do	Snider, Isaac.	" 8, " 3.	1849	do.	do	do
Hunter, Edward.	" 1, " 96.	1840	England.	Newmarket	Farmer	Snider, Martin.	" 9, " 15.	1845	do.	Linton	do
Hutt, Wm.	" 2, " 24.	1840	England.	Aurora	Farmer	Stokes, Joseph, J. P.	Kettleby.	1867	United States.	Kettleby	Miller & Reeve
Hilborn, Jesse.	" 4, " 31.	1853	Canada.	Kettleby	do	Somerville, James.	Con 8, Lot 18.	1834	Scotland.	Linton	Farmer
Heacock, Seth.	Aurora.	1856	Ireland.	Aurora	Physician	Srigley, Nelson, M.D.	Schomberg.	1853	do.	Schomberg	Physician
Hill, Robert, W. M. D.	Con 2, Lot 13.	1859	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer	Sharp, John.	do.	1853	do.	do	Carriage Maker & Bla
Hutchinson, Martin.	Nobleton.	1855	do.	Nobleton	Farmer	Tawse, John C.	Con 2, Lot 8.	1865	do.	Eversly	Farmer
Hambly, Chas.	Con 8, Lot 7.	1892	do.	Nobleton	Merchant	Terry, Jonathan.	" 5, " 23.	1819	England.	Pottageville	Builder & Saw Miller
Hill, George.	Con 8, Lot 7.	1892	do.	Nobleton	Merchant	Tench, Chas.	" 7, " 28.	1868	Canada.	Lloydtown	Miller
Hamilton, Clarkson.	Schomberg.	1819	do.	Schomberg	Farmer	Tyson, J. H.	Lloydtown.	1836	England.	do	Gentleman
Hughes, Geo.	do.	1819	do.	Schomberg	Farmer	Thompson, Wm.	Con 10, " 29.	1843	do.	Schomberg	Farmer
Irwin, Chas.	Con 2, Lot 20.	1849	do.	Aurora	Farmer & Depy Reeve	Thompson, Robt.	" 12, " 34.	1843	do.	Schomberg	Farmer
Janson, John.	" 2, " 24.	1849	England.	do	Farmer	Willis, Benj.	" 2, " 22.	1851	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer
Johnson, John.	" 7, " 25.	1849	England.	Pottageville	do	Walker, Geo.	" 2, " 25.	1851	Canada.	do	do
Linton, Wm.	" 1, " 78.	1858	do.	Aurora	Breeder Short Horn Cattle	Williams, Benj.	" 4, " 25.	1851	England.	Kettleby	do
Lloyd, Chas.	" 3, " 20.	1851	Canada.	Kettleby	Farmer	Webb, John P.	" 4, " 35.	1874	Canada.	do	Farmer & Saw Miller
Lloyd, Amos.	" 5, " 29.	1857	do.	King	Physician	Wilkinson, Geo.	Aurora.	1868	do.	Aurora	Agricultural Implement Man
Langstaff, Lewis, M. D.	Con 1, Lot 66 & 67.	1863	England.	Oakridge	Farmer	Wells, Gabriel.	Con 3, Lot 6 & 7.	1833	do.	King	Farmer
Lege, Thos.	Con 6, " 29.	1860	Canada.	Kettleby	Farmer and Stock Breeder	Wood, Joseph, J. P.	" 6, " 1.	1833	England.	Laskay	Farmer & Town Clerk
Lennon, Simon.	" 7, " 25.	1827	England.	Pottageville	Farmer	Webb, Walter.	" 4, " 23.	1874	Canada.	Kettleby	Farmer
Larkin, Joseph.	" 8, " 25.	1848	Ireland.	Linton	Farmer	Wisner Wm.	" 7, " 27.	1876	do.	Pottageville	Farmer
Lynn, John.	" 11, " 28.	1837	United States.	Schomberg	do	Walton Jacob.	Kettleby.	1849	do.	Kettleby	General Merchant, P. M. Money
Lloyd, Jos.	" 8, " 28.	1848	Ireland.	Linton	do	Ward, Henry.	Schomberg.	1850	England.	Lloydtown	Public School Teacher
Lynn J. & W.	do.	1848	Ireland.	Linton	do						

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Atkinson, L.	Newmarket.	1870	Canada.	Newmarket	Watchmaker and Jewels	McMillan, John.	" 3, " 31 east.	1854	Scotland.	Newmarket	Farmer
Appleton, Chas.	Con 8, Lot 17.	1860	England.	Balastrae	Lumber Dealer	McNally, J. E.	Aurora.	1855	Canada.	Aurora	Notary Public
Brothers, Wm.	Con 5, Lot 25.	1842	United States.	Pine Orchard	Farmer	McComack, Robt.	Con 8, Lot 28, 30, & 31.	1850	Ireland.	Vivian	Farmer
Baker, David.	Con 8, Lots 11 & 12.	1846	Canada.	Bloomington	do	McClintock & Botsford.	Newmarket.	1857	Canada.	Newmarket	Prop Royal Hotel
Brown Wm.	Con 10, Lots 1 & 2.	1840	do.	Stouffville	do	Mannery, J. & Son.	do.	1857	do.	do	Blacksmiths
Byer John.	Con 5, Lot 10.	1865	do.	Bethesda	do	Marshall James.	do.	1857	do.	do	do
Curry John.	Con 3, Lot 33.	1840	England.	Newmarket	Farmer	Marsden, J. W.	Main Street.	1853	England.	do	Merchant, Miller & Produce dealer
Campbell John.	Aurora.	1830	Scotland.	Aurora	Rope Maker	Monett, Ephraim.	Holland Landing.	1865	Canada.	H. Landing	Farmer
Cane, Wm & Sons.	Newmarket.	1875	United States.	Newmarket	Manufacturer of Woodenware	Mackay, Abraham.	Con 3, Lot 13.	1851	do.	Aurora	Gentleman
Cook, Thomas.	Con 6, Lot 7.	1837	Canada.	Lemonville	Farmer	Mitchell, Henry.	Aurora.	1843	do.	Bethesda	Farmer
Cook John.	Newmarket.	1858	England.	Newmarket	Clerk 4th Div Court	Macklem, Philip, Sen.	Con 6, Lot 5.	1854	do.	Pine Orchard	Carpenter
Coburn Wm.	do.	1875	Canada.	Stouffville	do	May, Nelson.	" 5, " 30.	1858	do.	Bethesda	Farmer
Cameron, W. W.	Stouffville.	1875	do.	Stouffville	Builder and Contractor	Macklem, Philip, Jun.	" 6, " 2.	1877	Scotland.	Stouffville	Marble dr'r
Cameron, H.	do.	1875	do.	Stouffville	Mechanic and Contractor	Mundill, Wm.	Stouffville.	1833	Canada.	do	Hotel Keeper
Davis Mark.	Aurora.	1856	do.	Newmarket	Farmer	Miller, E. M.	do.	1833	Canada.	do	Farmer
Dunning John.	Con 7, Lot 24.	1864	England.	Balastrae	Farmer & Deputy Reeve	Newton, Samuel.	Con 4, Lot 16.	1868	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer
Dougherty, Emah.	do.	1864	Ireland.	do	Farmer & Deputy Reeve	Orr, Wm. A.	" 2, " 19.	1831	Ireland.	do	Farmer
Dougherty, Wm.	Aurora.	1870	Canada.	Aurora	Grocer and Druggist	Olives & Ratcliff.	do.	1831	do.	Newmarket	do
Doan, D. W.	Con 9, Lot 4.	1837	do.	Stouffville	Farmer	Pearson.	Newmarket.	1844	Canada.	do	Dentist
Dougherty, Samuel T.	do.	1837	do.	Stouffville	Farmer	Pret, Joseph.	Con 4, West Lot 6.	1844	England.	Bethesda	Farmer
Evans, David.	Con 4, Lot 23.	1856	do.	Pine Orchard	Farmer	Pr u, James.	Con 2, Lot 25.	1856	do.	Newmarket	do
Fry & Stephenson.	Aurora.	1836	do.	Aurora	Printers	Pearson, Jas J.	Newmarket.	1863	Canada.	do	Registrar
Flood R.	Newmarket.	1836	do.	Aurora	Conveyancer & Accountant	Prnce, W.	Lundy's Mills.	1855	do.	do	Miller
Faughner N. B.	Aurora.	1870	Ireland.	Aurora	General Merchant	Randall, John.	Con 8, Lot 5 & 6.	1840	Canada.	Ringwood	Farmer
Fisher, Chas.	Ringwood.	1857	Bavaria.	Rugwood	Proprietor Revere House	Robertson, Thos J.	Newmarket.	1875	Ireland.	Newmarket	Farmer
Gilroy, Wm.	Con 4, Lot 24.	1852	Canada.	Pine Orchard	Farmer	Reaman, Abraham.	Con 7, Lot 17.	1846	Canada.	Balastrae	Farmer
Graham, Alfred.	" 1, " 77.	1850	Ireland.	Aurora	do	Rannie, W.	Newmarket.	1873	Scotland.	Newmarket	Prince's Model school
Graham, G. W.	" 3, " 18.	1852	Canada.	Balastrae	Hotel Keeper	Russell, S. A.	do.	1873	Canada.	do	Woollen Manufacturer
Galloway, Wm.	Balastrae.	1858	do.	do	do	Smyth, Elijah J.	Ringwood.	1874	do.	Ringwood	Teacher
Hutchcroft Geo B & Son.	Newmarket.	1847	Eng'd & Canada.	Newmarket	Carriage Build	Streckley, Jacob.	Con 5, Lot 6.	1850	do.	Bethesda	Farmer
Hunter, J. J. M.D.	Whitchurch.	1844	England.	do	Physician	Stewart, Geo.	" 2, " 10.	1857	do.	Onkrigde	do
Hartman, L. J.	Aurora.	1856	Canada.	Aurora	Livery Keeper	Scott, Wm.	" 3, " 31.	1846	do.	White Rose	do
Hays, Mary Ann.	Con 5, Lot 20.	1868	England.	Pine Orchard	do	Starr, Francis.	" 3, " 27.	1870	do.	Newmarket	do
Hilary, R. W. M. D.	Aurora.	1856	Ireland.	Aurora	Physician	Simpson, Redmond.	" 8, " 8.	1838	do.	do	do
Heastings, James.	Con 5, Lot 5.	1819	do.	Lemonville	Farmer & Manuf.	Stapleton, Robert.	do.	1838	do.	Bloomington	Merchants
Hunter, J. J.	" 6, " 16.	1841	England.	Balastrae	Physician & Surgeon	Sutherland, D. & Son.	Newmarket.	1855	England.	do	Druggist
Homer, Emanuel.	Stouffville.	1838	Canada.	Stouffville	Builder & Contractor	Sutherland, O. H.	Ringwood.	1852	do.	Ringwood	Merchant & P M
Jones, W. L.	Newmarket.	1839	Canada.	Newmarket	do	Silverster, Geo H.	do.	1852	do.	do	do
Johnson, Elijah.	do.	1853	do.	do	Dealer in Agricultural Implements	Usherwood, John.	Con 2, Lot 20.	1854	Canada.	Aurora	Farmer
Jackson, E.	Con 8, Lot 15.	1846	do.	Ringwood	Printer	Wells, Richard.	Aurora.	1867	do.	do	do & Breeder of Horses
Johnson, Ezra.	do.	1846	do.	Ringwood	Farmer	Walker, Hugh.	Con 4, Lot 20.	1850	England.	do	Farmer
Lemon, Geo.	" 6 " 18.	1840	do.	Lemonville	Farmer	Wallace, Stephen.	" 2, " 15.	1850	Canada.	White Rose	Farmer
Lloyd, W. G.	" 1, " 71 & 72.	1853	do.	Aurora	do	Willson, Joshua.	" 2, " 27.	1853	do.	Newmarket	do
Love, Matthew.	" 3, " 17.	1835	do.	White Rose	Miller	Widdifield, J. H.	Newmarke.	1845	do.	do	Farmer
Lee & Basted.	Newmarket.	1870	do.	Newmarket	Merchants	Willson, Chas.	Con 4, Lot 23.	1829	do.	Aurora	Surgeon
Lundy, Lila.	Con 2, Lot 25.	1828	do.	do	Genl Merch	Wells, J. W.	Aurora.	1829	do.	do	do
						Van Nostrand, Jno.	Con 4, Lot 17.	1856	do.	do	Lumberer